

Old King Coal And His Quotas Cause Concern To Council

More Coal Available Than Year Ago But Citizens "Hold Out" For Class A Fuel, Is Report

A fuel committee, consisting of Councillor J. A. Perks, chairman, and Reeve F. A. Lundy, made the following report to Newmarket town council on Monday evening.

"The following are the findings of this committee at a meeting held on Friday evening, Sept. 24, when Mr. Geer, Mr. Bates and Mr. Weddel were present to give their views on the fuel situation.

"(a) That there actually has been more coal of all kinds—classes A and B—shipped into Newmarket so far this year, as compared with the same period last year.

"(b) That with the exception of Mr. Geer, the dealers have been supplied up to their quotas at this date. Mr. Geer is about seven cars behind.

"(c) That there are substitute fuels available if the public will burn them. Just as much available now as there ever was.

"(d) Coal dealers are experiencing difficulties in getting coal delivered, due to shortage of help.

"(e) Rural deliveries, if filled, would take a considerable amount of the town's quota, but dealers are endeavoring to serve the town people first and discouraging outside deliveries.

"(f) Even the poorest families have money to buy coal now.

"(g) Possibly not more than 25 percent of the citizens of Newmarket have their winter's supply of coal now in their bins, as they are reluctant to take anything but class 'A' fuel.

"Insofar as the fuel wood situation is concerned, the demand greatly exceeds the supply and the dealers in town have not received all the cars they have on order. Nor can they be certain that these cars will be delivered to them."

"The situation is better than a year ago," said Mr. Lundy.

Councillor Wm. Dixon asked how the dealers could be supplied "up to their quotas" if only "25 percent of citizens" have their winter's supply of coal.

Councillor Albert Higginson said that it was a monthly quota and that they would have more coal as the season went on.

"What are your recommendations?" asked Councillor Joseph Vale.

"There is nothing we can do," said Mr. Perks. "The dealers themselves can't do anything."

"There is some concern by the fire underwriters concerning the use of soft coal," said Mr. Lundy. "Under no circumstances must one cover over the whole fire, or there will be an explosion. I will get the code for use of soft coal from the underwriters for the press to circulate."

"I think you should," said Dr. Dales. "Chimneys will be catching fire."

"A few people had two years coal supply on hand before the regulations were announced," said Mr. Perks.

"They put the coal in at the request of the government," said Mr. Higginson.

"I am interested in the question of deliveries outside the town," said Councillor J. L. Spilllette. "The question is whether the dealer supplied those customers last year or not."

Mr. Spilllette did not think that dealers should supply persons outside the town who secured their coal from other centres last year. Newmarket's quota was based on last year's use and new customers should not share in that quota.

"Dealers are not going to deliver outside the town if they can make deliveries here," said Mr. Lundy.

"They get more for outside deliveries," said Mr. Dixon. "The outside deliveries are more profitable."

Mr. Dixon said that Newmarket had one coal dealer more last year than this year. "His quota is not being divided among the other dealers."

"I wonder if the coal controller wouldn't be interested in this matter," Dr. Dales said, referring to the question of quotas as affected by a lesser number of dealers and an increased number of customers.

Archbishop McGuigan Opens New Providence Convent

CEREMONY MARKS OPENING OF NEW CATHOLIC CONVENT

An event to which the people of Newmarket had looked forward with keen enthusiasm for some time occurred on the Feast of St. Michael, Sept. 29, when the new convent of the Sisters of Providence was blessed by His Grace, Archbishop J. C. McGuigan, of Toronto.

Through the kind co-operation of many friends, the sisters had been relieved of much of the heavy task of moving and preparing the new home for permanent residence. Joined by Sister Mary Robert, Toronto, and Sister Mary Ignatius, Sister Mary Fidelma and Sister Mary Agnes Clare, King, they saw with joy the successful completion of plans for the opening.

At 6 p.m. the following guests were welcomed at the new convent, and shortly afterwards ushered in to a delicious full-course dinner: Most Rev. J. C. McGuigan, Rt. Rev. Msgr. J. V. Harris, Rev. W. D. Muckle, D.C.L., Rev. F. McGinn, Rev. F. McGee, Rev. M. Nolan, Rev. F. O'Reilly, Rev. J. Murphy, Rev. J. A. Duffy and Rev. P. B. Sullivan.

At 7:30 p.m. the ceremony of the blessing began. With His Grace, the archbishop, and the visiting clergy, little girls dressed in white and wearing veils, older girls in school costume, boys of the school, including the sanctuary boys, and the sisters, passed slowly through the house, around the grounds, and back to the chapel. Clearly and sweetly through the silence of the autumn evening came the voices of the children as, in honor of St. Michael, they sang "Thou Royal Knight from Courts on High," with words and music by Rev. J. E. Ronan.

Following "benediction of the blessed sacrament," His Grace expressed his happiness in seeing the interests of religion being advanced in the parish, his gratitude to all those who made it possible for the sisters to carry on missionary work in their midst, and his hopes for the future, encouraging in its prospects for good.

After many had met His Grace in friendly, informal fashion, the guests had the opportunity of going through the building. They then reassembled for the closing feature of the evening, the drawing for "Dolly Greenback," whose aid had been enlisted to secure funds for the new convent. Following breathless suspense came the announcement that "Dolly" had a long trip ahead—the Sisters

WILL TOXOID

The press reports another diphtheria epidemic at Halifax and the M.O.H., Dr. J. H. Wesley, has asked for the co-operation of the teachers of all the town schools in toxoiding the pupils, to be done as soon as consent cards can be returned.

VICTORY LOAN CALLS FOR WORK—MAYOR

"There has been organized a Newmarket Business Men's Association," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told the town council on Monday evening. "I want to ask you to pay some attention to this organization. It has impressed me very favorably."

The organization had sent out to the business people what he described as "a very progressive and intelligent questionnaire."

"The Victory Loan campaign opens on the 15th," Dr. Dales said. "There will be an open-air meeting on Saturday evening, the 16th. The quota has been increased and it will take a lot of work."

TWELVE MORE NAMES ADDED TO HONOR ROLL

Since the publication of last week's list the following names have been added to the Newmarket high school roll of honor:

Elizabeth Beckett, Alan R. Cane, C. Belfry Cane, Edward Dillane, William Drury, Jack F. Groves, Richard A. Morris, Lorne Ramsay, Bruce Robertson, Kenneth Shaw, Richard Shaw and John Winch.

WINS COMMISSION

Myles MacInnis, Newmarket, has been commissioned as a pilot officer. He graduated from Macdonald, Mon. as an air gunner, and arrived home Oct. 3 on furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacInnis, Newmarket.

PATIENCE APPRECIATED

The Era and Express regrets that the last few weeks it has been impossible to use all the news articles and pictures which have been sent in for publication. There has not been sufficient space available. Some people have been very patient, and an effort will be made to get "caught up" as soon as possible.

of Providence of St. Joseph's hospital in Edmonton were the winners.

MUST CATCH FIRST CASE, M.O.H. THINKS

Dr. J. H. Wesley, M.O.H., made a report to the town council on Monday evening.

Dr. Wesley said: "As summer merges into autumn, we look back over the epidemics of mumps and measles of last season, which extended well into the holidays."

"During the past nine months of 1943 there have been 70 cases of mumps and 59 of measles in town. In fact, the new cases came so thick and fast that we were not able to keep very good track of them. Mumps and measles are communicable diseases all right and as such they are reported to the board of health and quarantined, but the working of the board fell down on the quarantine."

"The classes at all the schools were emptied out and the schools were closed (excepting St. John's). The closing of the schools did not have any effect in stopping the epidemic, and not until nearly all the susceptible children had taken one or both of the diseases was there any abatement in the epidemic. Anyway, there were no fatalities and scarcely any complications to leave an unpleasant remembrance."

"At the time there were differences of opinion about the reporting and quarantine. Some thought that the disease could have been kept under control if the regulations of the Health Act had been better observed and some thought that the services of a health nurse would have prevented the spread. My experience is when once one of these communicable diseases gets going, there is no way to stop it, for a whole roomful of susceptible children will become infected from exposure to one child who is coming down with the disease and who has not at the time shown any of the usual symptoms. In other words, the disease is very often communicated from one to another during the incubation stage, and just before the rash comes out, or, in the case of mumps, before the swelling of the face is noticeable. The only way to prevent an epidemic is to catch the first case and keep it under quarantine."

"There has been a lot of discussion and difference of opinion in a neighboring municipality lately over the diagnosis and quarantine of scarletina and some of the town doctors have been under criticism for not reporting what was considered by the fully as scarlet fever. Regarding the few cases of scarlet fever in our town for the last nine months, there have been only two, and they have been kept under quarantine for the time prescribed by the Health Act, but the cases have been so mild as to lead to a great deal of doubt as to the genuineness of the disease. Scarlet fever is one of the most to be feared of communicable diseases. That the youngsters have to contend with, as serious complications frequently follow in the wake of even the mildest cases."

"But there are a great many rashes similar to the scarlet fever rash, particularly since the common use of the newer drugs, and so many want to call every similar rash scarlet fever without regard to the regular mode of onset and the usual train of symptoms of the disease."

The diagnosis of any communicable disease should be the business of the attending physician and he is the one who is primarily responsible for the protection of the public in notifying the M.O.H. or the clerk of the board of health. The M.O.H. acts on the physician's report and carries out the provisions of the Health Act.

"For some time the town has been entirely free from communicable diseases. That is a pretty good record."

"It was commonly said that when the military basic training centre was placed in Newmarket the sound reputation of the town would soon be lost on account of the unfavorable influence of the soldiers. According to my observation, the town and its people are better for having the soldiers with us and we can only say words of praise for the way in which the many groups of soldiers have conducted themselves. There has been no increase of intemperance or drunkenness and no more cases of venereal disease reported than before the days of the camp."

Newmarket expects to fill at least 138 ditty bags this year. Mrs. C. M. Carter, convener of the ditty bag committee, requests that these bags be delivered to H. M. Gladman's office (C. N. Express) by Oct. 15 to make certain that ditty bags are on all ships for Christmas day.

Mrs. H. E. Gilroy, convener of the magazines and games committee, reports a great deal of activity in supplying magazines and games, but that the need is much greater than the supply. Please leave your used magazines and games in one of the Navy League boxes at the following stores: Eves', Spilllette's, Bell's, Gilroy's, Simpson's order office, Carruthers', Lyons'.

The Salvation Army Red Shield drive will continue until this Saturday night, Chairman J. O. Little has announced. Kenneth Platt, Bank of Montreal, is treasurer.

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MAKE WOOL SHIPMENT

The Newmarket Red Cross wool committee made the following shipment on Sept. 23: 13 sweaters for boys 10, 31 sweaters for boys 6, 25 sweaters for girls 10, 25 sweaters for girls 6, 12 sweaters for ladies.

The wool committee is grateful to the high school teachers and students for the following, which has also been shipped: 35 pairs of socks, two afghans. The high school teachers and students generously purchased their own wool.

The wool committee will be at the Red Cross rooms Thursdays only.

MONDAY IS HOLIDAY

Monday, Thanksgiving Day, will be observed as a holiday by factories, schools and places of business. Newmarket stores will be open on Wednesday afternoon following the holiday.

HIGGINSON PRAISES RELIEF INSPECTOR

The relief committee is up to its job but it is not interfering with the inspector when he is doing a real job," Councillor A. V. Higginson, chairman of the relief committee, told the town council on Monday evening.

"Chief Sloss is doing a remarkably good job," said Mr. Higginson. Mr. Higginson said that there were now 15 persons including children who were receiving relief and that there were none of them who were able to support themselves.

SAYS NEWMARKET HAS NO CLAIM ON HYDRO

Members of the Newmarket town council were requested to follow the public discussions, on the subject of a "flat rate" to municipalities for hydro-electric power, by Deputy Reeve A. D. Evans, chairman of the water and light committee, at a meeting of the town council on Monday evening.

"It would be a nice thing if we could all have the same rate as Toronto," said Mr. Evans.

The Progressive-Conservative party pledge was that there would be an immediate adjustment of the rates for electricity upon a just and equitable basis. The service charge in rural areas will be removed. Power will be extended to farms with full recognition of the fact that food production in war is hardly less essential to our success than military effort.

Councillor Joseph Vale asked about "the possibility of the town receiving a hydro rebate."

"Mr. Vale knows the answer," said Mr. Evans. "We are not in the commission. All the profit goes back into the pot to keep the tax rate down."

CHURCHES HONOR NEW AIR FORCE CHAPLAIN

Rev. J. A. Koffend, appointed an R.C.A.F. chaplain, was the recipient of a writing portfolio in airforce blue and an individual communion set when the congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church gathered in the Sunday-school room on Tuesday evening.

J. A. Perks read an address and Miss Irene Smith and Mrs. Bruce Graham made the presentations. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

At the annual congregational meeting and supper of Pine Orchard Union church held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hope on Monday evening, the congregation presented Mr. Koffend with a pen and pencil set and leather wallet. Fred. Reid read the address and Mrs. Ralph Willis made the presentation.

IS GRADUATE NURSE

John Blanche Evans, daughter of Mr. R. Evans, Mount Albert, and the late Mrs. Evans, has just completed two weeks holidays at her home. She is a graduate of St. Joseph's School of Nursing, Toronto. On her return to the city she will take up a position on the staff of the Toronto hospital, Weston.

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FATHER AND SON SERVE AIR FORCE



P.O. Vance Webster and his son, P.O. Bill Webster, are serving with the R.C.A.F. overseas. P.O. Vance Webster, who was born in Glenville, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster, Glenville. His home is in Toronto.

EMPLOYEES RAISE \$292 FOR BOYS OVERSEAS

The Employees Welfare Association of the Office Specialty Mfg. Co. raised \$292 for parcels for employees in the armed forces overseas as a result of a draw on furniture last Thursday night. The furniture was given by the company and was displayed in Smith's Hardware window.

Reeve F. A. Lundy conducted the draw and was assisted by Miss Jean Staley.

The prizewinners were: red leather upholstered chesterfield chair, Mrs. M. Cook, 16 Simcoe St., Newmarket; walnut sectional bookcase, W. F. Selby, 968 Avenue Rd., Toronto; walnut telephone stand, Mrs. Gordon Boyd, Newmarket; walnut hat tree, Miss Marion Young, 16 Church St., Newmarket.

TOM McHALE WINS FIRST PRIZE OF \$25

Presentations were made by His Grace Archbishop Charles E. McGuigan, D.D., to Catholic pupils of elementary and high schools of the archdiocese of Toronto who won prizes in the annual June examinations in "Christian knowledge," last Sunday afternoon at an impressive ceremony in St. Michael's cathedral.

Tom McHale, Newmarket, was presented with \$25 as first prize for the highest standing attained among all Catholic pupils of the archdiocese attending Ontario high schools. He was accompanied at the presentation by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McHale, and his sister, Barbara.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, pastor of St. John's church, also was present. Mr. McHale is chairman of St. John's separate school board.

Armitage Couple Mark Diamond Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McMain, Armitage, were at home to their many friends on Saturday, Oct. 2, in celebration of their diamond wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. McMain were married 60 years ago Sunday.

Mr. McMain, who is 83 years old, is the caretaker of Armitage school, and Mrs. McMain, who is 78, does all her own housework and looks after Armitage post office.

Mr. and Mrs. McMain have had charge of Armitage post office since 1904 and before King George V died they received a medal for not having had any complaints or errors listed against their post office.

Before moving to Armitage over 40 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. McMain farmed on the fifth concession of East Gwillimbury for over 15 years.

Mr. and Mrs. McMain have nine children, Mrs. Albert Ryder (Drusilla), Washington state, Mrs. Leon Saint (Eva), Bradford, Thomas, Fresno, Calif., George, Mrs. C. H. Ogilvie (Pearl), Leslie and Aubrey, all of Toronto, and Mrs. Gordon Stephenson (Dorothy), Armitage. One son died shortly after the last war.

Conservatives Select North York Candidates

A convention for the selection of dominion and provincial candidates for the Progressive-Conservative Association of the riding of North York will be held in Newmarket town hall at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 24.

NEWMARKET VETERANS AGAIN NAME ALF SMITH

Alfred Smith has been re-elected president of the Newmarket Veterans' Association. Other officers elected at the annual meeting were: Jack Wright, vice-president; George B. Wales, secretary-treasurer; Frank Kents, recording secretary.

ARRIVES OVERSEAS



Pte. A. C. West, former editor of the Newmarket Express-Herald and son of Albert E. West, Newmarket, has arrived overseas safely, according to word received by relatives.

IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving their country on land, on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed for this column—Phone 780.

Pte. Leonard Burling has returned to Prince Rupert, B.C., after spending a 16-day furlough with his wife and family.

AC2 Wm. Anderson and AC2 Bernard Cobbett, Toronto, spent the weekend with AC2 Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson.

Cpl. David Mathewson, Camp Borden, is home on furlough. F.O. Harold Rutledge, Dunnville, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Lloyd Gilkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Creston (Pess) Gilkes, Newmarket, has arrived safely overseas.

Staff-Sergeant Ernest McCaffrey has arrived overseas safely.

LAC Dan Tensdale is now stationed in Iceland, but he says, it is a different Iceland from the one six Newmarket boys of the Royal Regiment encountered when they landed there in June, 1940.

AC2 Jack Tensdale has been transferred from Uplands, Ottawa, to Mont Joli, P.Q.

Pte. Vern Mosier, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Mosier, Newmarket, has just arrived overseas.

Pte. Ernest Travis, who has been stationed at Kingston, has been moved to Halifax, N.S.

BOY EXPERIMENTER LOSES THREE FINGERS

Billy Chalmers, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. John Chalmers, who live near Sibbald's Point, had two fingers and the thumb of his right hand blown off and received powder burns on his shoulder and the right side of his face, when a detonator cap with which he and his twin brother, Alfred Chalmers, were experimenting exploded in his face, on Saturday morning.

He is in York County hospital. Several years ago Mr. Chalmers purchased the detonator cap for blasting when he was putting in waterworks at the farm where they live. He had put it on a high shelf in the garage and forgotten about it.

Last Thursday a pigeon belonging to the boys got away, flew into the garage and knocked the cap down off the shelf. The boys decided to experiment with the cap on Saturday when they had more time. They connected it with two old batteries and it exploded in Billy's face.

'No Night Whistling By Trains' By-Law Gets Third Reading

Newmarket High School Class Visits Town Council To See Public Business Conducted

Harold C. Garrett, of the Newmarket high school teaching staff, and a group of students were observers at a Newmarket town council meeting on Monday evening.

Reeve Fred A. Lundy, as chairman of the committee of the whole to consider accounts and communications, called on Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales to welcome the visitors.

"This is a surprise," said Dr. Dales. "We are usually much neglected. About the only time the public takes an interest in us is about election time and not much then."

"Mr. Garrett is to be congratulated. If you feel like taking part in the discussion this evening, just put up your hand. We will be glad to hear from you. We can always listen. You will see that our meetings are simply conducted and democratic."

Later in the evening Dr. Dales suggested that the council refer the problem of a name for a Canadian warship to the students.

N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk and solicitor, explained that the name had to be geographical, and not a family name, but that it could not be "Newmarket" because there was a ship of that name in the British navy.

One of the students had suggested "Phoenix," the name of our school magazine," Councillor Joseph Vale suggested "H.M.S. 'N.H.S.'"

Deputy-Reeve A. D. Evans and Councillor Wm. Dixon, taking up Dr. Dales' suggestion, moved that a prize of \$5 be awarded to the student suggesting the best name. This was carried.

When the no-whistling-by-trains-at-night by-law came before the town council for third reading Councillor Joseph Vale suggested that the opinions of the students would be interesting.

"There is a lot of difference of opinion," said Mr. Vale. "Those who live close to the railway tracks are in favor of the by-law. Those farther away think perhaps there might be a fatal accident."

Mayor Dales thought that, since the proposal had been reported in the press, the council should now deal with it without further discussion. He said that he had not heard any objections, and that the whistles were a nuisance to the public and to patients at the hospital.

"Who would be responsible if there were an accident?" asked Mr. Garrett.

"In view of the protection given by the wig-wags, I would say that anyone involved in an accident at a crossing would be responsible himself," said Mr. Mathews.

The council passed the by-law, and it will now go to the dominion board of railway commissioners for approval.

Says Fire Prevention Is Patriotism, Helps Allies

FIRE CHIEF OSBORNE GIVES FIRE PREVENTION WEEK THEMES

This is Fire Prevention week. Fire Chief W. W. Osborne gave The Era and Express the following fire prevention week information.

It commemorates the Chicago conflagration of Oct. 9, 1871. Approximately 2,800 people have been killed by fires in Canada in the last ten years. The average annual fire loss in Canada for the last ten years is \$25,800,000.

One-third of all forest fires are caused by careless campers and smokers.

The largest factor in basement fires is rubbish accumulations. Flaming grease in a pan on the stove should be put out by sliding a tin cover or plate over it.

It is patriotic to help avoid fires. The lives and materials saved help win the war.

BUSINESS MEN GET READY FOR ACTION

President R. C. Morrison of the Newmarket Business Men's Association has announced the following committees. The first named in each instance are chairmen and are asked to take this as notification of their appointment.

Program and entertainment: Alex. Eves, J. L. Spilllette, Norman Dorland, George Byers, Dr. C. E. VanderVoort, W. J. Patterson.

Attendance: Al. White, Arnold Molyneux, Morley McPhee, Delbert Gibney, Norman Fry.

Membership: Harold Patterson, Andrew White, Robert Wench, B. A. Budd.

Civic improvement: Dr. L. W. Dales, Andrew Hebb, F. A. Lundy, Elman Campbell, J. E. Nesbitt, Earle Weddel, Wilmet Lundy.

Government rules and regulations: Jack Luck, Cliff Insley, Allan Mills, Harry Bell.

Business rules and practice: Frank Bowser, Harry M. Hooker, H. E. Gilroy, C. G. Wainman, Douglas Earl, Chester Best, Luke Lyons, Isaac Lindenbaum.

Advertising: T. F. Doyle, W. J. Geer, C. F. Willis, W. J. McCaplin.

LOSES TWO TOES

Harry Bong, who had been living near Weston, had two toes cut off when he was at a "corn cutting" helping to move a tractor. One of the wheels ran over his foot.

Mr. Bong, who has been in York County hospital, is now at the home of Mrs. Bong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns. Mr. Bong is a former Queensville resident.

Coming Events

Insertions under this heading one cent per word per week, minimum charge 25 cents a week, if paid within six days, otherwise 25 cents additional. There is no cheaper advertising for any event.

Every Friday night—Dance to Willis Tipping's orchestra at Cockatoo pavilion. 1734

Dance at Middlebrook's—Every Wednesday night to Ken Rose and his First City Lighters' orchestra. Admission 25c. 1735

Friday, Oct. 9—Euchre and bridge at St. Paul's parish hall, sponsored by St. Paul's Men's Club. At 8 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents. 1736

Sunday, Oct. 10—Midnight show. Matinee Monday afternoon, 2 p.m., at the Strand theatre, Newmarket. 1736

Friday, Oct. 15—Red Cross 25c tea in Soldiers' club rooms, 3 to 5:30 p.m. Everyone urgently requested to attend and help this worthy cause. 1737

Friday, Oct. 15—Euchre in aid of Soldiers' Comforts fund in town hall, under auspices of Newmarket Veterans Association. 1738

Friday, Nov. 5—Chansons' musical program at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church for choir and war work. 1738

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A successful farmer in Scott township until he retired to Mount Albert some years ago, George Walker died at York County hospital on Sept. 21 as the result of a heart condition. He had been ill only a short time.

George Walker was born at Holt, a son of Christina Raine and Geo. Walker, in 1862. His father was a blacksmith at Holt. He married Lueza Cook of King in 1887.

Mr. Walker was a member of the United church. He had served as a police trustee, a school trustee and a councillor. Mr. Walker also served on the community park board, in which he took an active part, and on the town hall board.

Surviving are his widow, three sons, John and Percy, Mount Albert, and Maxwell, Greenville, one brother, Frank, Zephyr, and one sister, Mrs. Teena Johnson, Niagara Falls, N.Y. A daughter, Iva, predeceased him some years ago.

The pallbearers were Ed. Watts, J. Tilley, Frank Watts, Ed. Haigh, Carl Moorehead and David Shill- inglaw.

Rev. W. H. Burgess conducted the funeral service at his late residence, Mount Albert, last Thursday afternoon. Interment was made in Mount Albert cemetery.

SCHONBERG
MEMORIAL SERVICE IS
HELD FOR WM. PAGAN

Miss Agnes Johnston, Toronto, spent the weekend with friends here.

Mrs. Jamieson, of the Muskoka district, is visiting her sister, Miss K. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hughes, Aurora, were in town on Sunday attending the memorial service for Wm. Pagan.

Miss A. Mossop, Toronto, visited Mrs. A. Robertson over the weekend.

The Women's Institute has secured 20 ditty bags and has given them to the different organizations to fill for the boys overseas.

A rally service was held in the United church on Sunday. The children took part splendidly.

A memorial service was held on Sunday for Wm. Pagan, R.C.A.F., who gave his life some time ago for his country. The large number who attended the service and the splendid address that was given by Rev. Mr. McEwen showed the respect in which he was held. Rev. Mr. Cranston and Rev. F. V. Abbott spoke fittingly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Marchant and Mr. and Mrs. V. Marchant visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Marchant at Weston on Sunday.

Mrs. Clarkson, who has spent the summer months in Lloyd town, is returning to Toronto this week for the winter.

LECTURES ON LONDON

There was a good turn-out to hear Mrs. Altree Coley, Vancouver, author and lecturer, give her illustrated lecture on "London Calling." From a map of London she explained that city and had pictures of London thrown on the screen. Then came her delightful lecture. Mrs. Coley made London seem near and real.

THEY'RE HUNTING FOR NAZI SUBS



First Mate Joe Rossi (Humphrey Bogart) and Captain Steve Jarvis (Raymond Massey) of the Liberty ship, "Sea Witch," maintain a sharp lookout for Nazi submarines and planes as they sail the hazardous waters to Murmansk with a cargo of lend-lease material for Russia. The scene is from Warner Bros.' dramatization of the exploits of the men of the United States merchant marine, "Action in the North Atlantic," which opens at the Monday matinee at the Strand theatre.

Gathering the Sport Facts

Once again October is in our midst. October seems to be the month when the frost appears on the ground and also the month when the World Series starts. This war year is no exception and when this column goes to press the New York Yankees and the St. Louis Cardinals will be locked in a life or death struggle for the supremacy of the baseball world.

Just to keep the record straight we're going to give our readers some of the facts and figures of previous series. Here they are.

If the New York Yankees capture the 1943 classic, Bill Dickey will have played on more winning teams than any other man. Right now Bill has played an equal number of games with Lou Gehrig and Babe Ruth. A win for the Yankees this year would put him on top all by himself.

The big Yankee catcher also carries with him into the series seven other marks. He is tied for most times at bat in one game with six; at bat in one inning, twice; runs batted in game, five; singles, four in one game; chances accepted by catcher, 36 in a four-game series; seven singles in a four-game series; and catcher in five different four-game series.

Only two men have hit home runs with the bases loaded in World Series competition. They were Elmer Smith of Cleveland and Tony Lazzeri of the Yankees. Elmer Smith performed his base clearing shot in the 1920 classic between Brooklyn and Cleveland. The series was tied at two victories apiece when Smith came up with the bases loaded and knocked one of Burleigh Grimes' spitters over the right field fence of League Park in Cleveland.

In the same game, the only unassisted triple play in Series history took place. Bill Wambans of Brooklyn was the man who pulled off the play. Wambans was playing centrefield. He picked a line drive out of the air and then ran in towards the

infield, touching second base to double a man off there, then he ran towards first and touched the man coming from that base. Clarence Mitchell, the man who hit into the triple play, in the next time at bat hit into a double play. He set a record by being the cause of five outs in two successive times at bat.

This year's World Series will be the 40th played between the pennant winners of the National and American Leagues, since the Boston Red Sox and the Pittsburgh Pirates started it in 1903.

After trailing in the early years of the event, the American League jumped ahead in 1912, and since then has never been headed. At the present time they have won 24 series titles against 15 for the National. The American has won 126 games against 96 for its opponents.

The present series will be the fourth between the Cardinals and the Yankees. The Red Birds is the only National League club with an edge over the Yankees. St. Louis won the 1926 and 1942 series. The Yanks took the 1928 one. Strangest part of all the series facts is the statement that it isn't one of the active players who has been in the most World Series.

Art Fletcher, the third-base coach of the Yankees, has already dipped his hands into 13 Series grab-bags. Fletcher has pocketed over \$59,000 in these 13 Series. This year's helping promises to be the richest. Detroit Tigers picked off the biggest helping of all when they won the 1935 Series and collected over \$6,000 apiece for their trouble. Not bad, over \$1,000 a game.

UNION STREET

Mr. Charles Smith spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lepard and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cole and children spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Sim Graves'.

Mr. Bill Crouch and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Prior spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. William Crouch's. Mr. and Mrs. King and son spent Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy's.

Miss Evelyn Murrell spent the weekend at her home at Sharon.

Soldier Thinks War Is
Building Canadian Unity

"Once more I wish to express to the Newmarket Veterans my sincere thanks for the 300 cigarettes I received from them," Sgt. S. A. Dow writes the Newmarket Veterans' Comforts fund.

"I wish I could thank each one of you in person, and we all hope the time is not too distant when we may be able to do that very thing. After the way the Canadian boys dished it out at Sicily, we all took new heart and went about our work with more determination than ever. I am sure those boys showed the world that when the time comes the Canadian troops are ready and able to take on their share and come out on top."

"We are always hearing talk of the horrors of war, but there is one thing, in my estimation, it is doing for Canada that nothing else could, and that is for the population to get to know each other. By that I mean the people from one part of the country to know people from other parts."

"I don't know whether it is the same back home but over here we are always meeting fellows from different parts of the country, and after talking together for a while, get to know each other, and I believe that builds up a greater fellowship and unity and it is something that is going to count after the war, because we are getting to know each other and our country better."

"Cigarettes are as hard to get as fish in a dry creek at home," Spr. E. Thompson writes in a card of appreciation to the Newmarket Veterans.

"All of us over here can get along without most things we were used to at home, but when it comes to cigarettes we all want good old Canadian cigarettes," Mr. Jack Revell says in a note of appreciation to the Veterans.

York's Young Plowmen
Seek Eckardt Trophy

The home plowing competition sponsored by the York County Junior Farmers for the past 20 years will be carried on again this year as usual. Agricultural Representative W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket, who manages the competition for the association, states that there have been no changes in the rules from previous years and that the family of the late A. J. H. Eckardt has again offered an Eckardt trophy.

Prize lists are now being prepared and will be mailed to all former contestants. Anyone else desiring a copy should write the department of agriculture, Newmarket, or get in touch with the secretary of any of the York County Junior Farmer clubs.

RAVENSHOE

Ravenshoe anniversary services were well attended on Sept. 25. Rev. C. E. Fockler delivered fine messages both morning and evening at the United church. A splendid thank-offering was realized. The choir rendered fine music.

Rev. Gordon Lapp delivered a splendid message last Sunday for the Communion service.

There was a good attendance at church and Sunday-school.

Next Sunday, Oct. 10, a special thanksgiving service will be held at 2.15 p.m.

The weather is dry and the fall wheat needs rain.

Filling silos and threshing is the main work just now. It is a busy time but splendid weather for it.

The grain isn't too heavy this year, owing to the cold, wet spring.

Mrs. Wm. King, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King.

LOCAL MARKET

Butter brought 40 cents a pound on the local market on Saturday morning. Eggs were from 42 cents for pullets, to 50 cents for large.

Yearlings sold at 20 to 30 cents a pound and young chickens 35 cents a pound.

Apples brought 35 cents a six-quart basket; cucumbers, 45 cents; potatoes, 30 cents, onions, 45 cents.

Squash were 20 cents each, cabbage, 10 cents each, and cauliflower, 10 and 15 cents.

TORONTO MARKETS

Creamery solids, No. 1, were 33½ cents, and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 35 cents, on the Toronto markets on Tuesday.

Grade A large eggs were 50 cents a dozen; A medium, 48 cents; and A pullets, 45 cents a dozen, to the country dealers on a graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto basis.

Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 14 to 1½ pounds, 26 cents; fowl over 5 pounds, 23 cents; chickens, over 5 pounds, 28 cents a pound.

Weighty steers sold at \$10.50 to \$11.50, with one load at \$12.15; butcher steers, \$9.50 to \$11.25; heifers, \$9.50 to \$11; butcher cows mostly \$7.50 to \$9; canners downward to \$5; bulls, \$7 to \$9.25; fed yearlings, \$12 to \$13.50; stockers slow at \$8 to \$10.50.

Choice veal calves sold at \$15 to \$15.50 with other grades downward to \$10. Grass calves were \$7.50 to \$8.50.

Lambs sold at \$12.50 to \$12.75 for good ewes and wethers with bucks \$1 cwt. discount and culls mostly \$10.

Sheep went at \$4 to \$8.50.

Hogs brought \$18.75 dress-weight with bids lower on sows.

News items are appreciated when mailed, brought or telephoned to The Era and Express office. When you go away or have visitors kindly let your local newspaper know.

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For seasonal loans, for security of savings and for other financial services, many a farmer turns to the courteous and friendly manager of his local Bank of Toronto. It is our privilege to assist Canada's basic farming industry in its efforts to supply the country's wartime needs.

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Six times since 1870 the Bank Act under which the Chartered Banks operate has been revised by parliament—six times in that period the activities of the banks have been carefully scrutinized by the people's representatives.

Every ten years the Bank Act has been thus revised. Each one of the six decennial revisions has contributed much to the evolution of the banking system to meet the expanding needs of a developing Dominion.

In 1934 the sixth revision of the Bank Act was made. Fifty members of the House of Commons

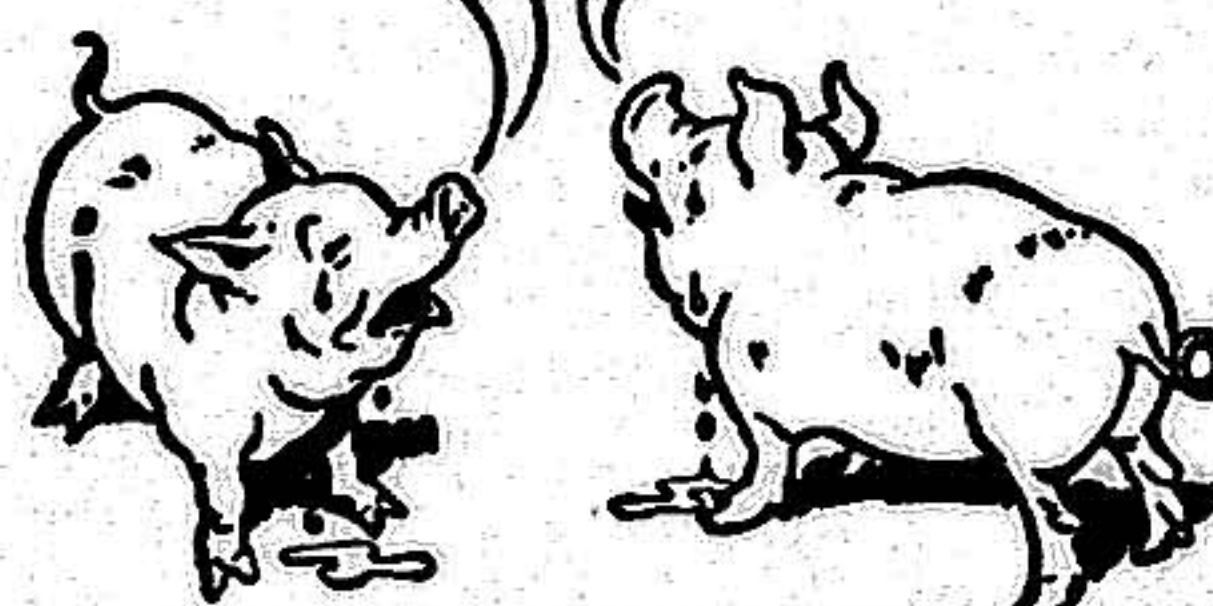
made up the committee, which examined witnesses—among them bank officers, government officials and reformers—and studied exhibits filed by various individuals and organizations. Findings were submitted to the House, and later that year the Bank Act was revised in many important particulars.

Through democratic enquiry and decision, the Canadian banking system has grown and been adjusted to meet the needs of the people, providing a satisfactory for savings and a sound basis for Canada's free economic development.

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ONLY FIVE OUTSMARTED PUZZLE EDITOR, THIS WEEK'S WORDS ARE SCRAMBLED

Contestants found last week's contest rather difficult. There were only five correct sets of answers sent in. The five winners are Mrs. C. Brice, 19 Queen St., Newmarket, Mary Gordon, 17 Queen St., Newmarket, Francis Elphinstone, 7 D'Arcy St., Newmarket, Mrs. W. C. Blight, Newmarket, and Mrs. W. Brice, 83 Andrew St., Newmarket.

These winners may pick up their prizes any evening at the Strand Theatre to see "Action in the North Atlantic" starring Humphrey Bogart, Raymond Massey and Alan Hale, and "Don't Hook Now," on Tuesday, Oct. 12, or "China Girl," starring Gene Tierney, George Montgomery and Lynn Bari, and "Street of Chance," starring Burgess Meredith and Claire Trevor, on Thursday, Oct. 14.

The correct answers were: plaid, post, china, room, the cook, cheap, quiet, supply, jacket and private.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

This week the contest winners will have their choice of the program at the Strand Theatre on Tuesday, Oct. 19, when "White Savage," starring Maria Montez, Jon Hall and Sabu, in technicolor, and "She Has What It Takes," starring Jinx Falkenburg and the Radio Rogues, are the features on Thursday, Oct. 21, when "Five Graves to Cairo," starring Franchot Tone, Anne Baxter with Akim Tamiroff and Erich von Stroheim, and "The Ghost Goes West," starring Robert Donat with Jean Parker and Eugene Pallette, will be featured.

This week, in order to give more contestants a chance, the ten classified words have been scrambled and all the vowels have been left out. Here they are: NIBTIF, BRID, LNV, TLCTNY, NLSG, RHWT, LNDST, NIGCN, CNFTN, GLSN.

WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. 25c extra if not paid within week of first insertion, 10c extra for use of box number.

1 HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—In Sharon. Two story insulated brick house of six rooms. Wired for hydro. Pump cistern and 1/2 acre land. Price and terms from E. A. Boyd and Co., Newmarket. c1w36

3 FARM FOR SALE

For sale—Farm, 110 acres on highway, one mile north of Queensville. Possession March first. Apply owner, W. A. Hall, phone 104, Queensville. c1w33

For sale—Dairy farm, 210 acres, good buildings, brick house, hydro equipped, running spring at pasture, good well at barn. 105 acres under cultivation, 12 acres good hardwood bush, rest bush and pasture. II-health reason for selling. Lot 102, west of Yonge St., East Gwillimbury. George Blanchard, R. R. 2, Newmarket. c1w36

4 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—Three-year-old frame cottage of six rooms and sun-room. Ten miles north of Newmarket. Lot 89 x 200. Hydro and hen-house. Garage attached. Furnace. Flowing well. Price \$2,800. Terms. More acreage available. Apply E. A. Boyd and Co., Newmarket. c1w36

5A FOR RENT

For rent—Warehouse suitable for storage. \$12 per month. Apply E. A. Boyd and Co., Newmarket. c1w36

6 HOUSE FOR RENT

For rent—Five-roomed house with electricity. Small barn with garage and large hen-house with quantity of land, north on Main St. Apply Mrs. A. McKee, 38 Timothy St., Newmarket. c1w36

For rent—Seven-room frame house on Yonge St. J. H. Wesley, Newmarket. c1w36

For rent—Nine-room brick house, 2 Catherine Ave., Aurora. Hot-water heating, garage, etc. Apply Mrs. Hugh Ferguson, 7 Wellington St. E., Aurora. c3w36

6B WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—One or two furnished rooms with either board or kitchen privileges. Write Era and Express box 757. c1w36

7 FARM FOR RENT

Farm for rent—Lot 26, 4th con. Queensville. Good producing, 180 acres. Has produced 4 1/2 days thrashing. Hydro and water in house and barn. Flowing well in lane. Well at house. Cream and milk truck calls. 12 acres wheat. Apply William Good, 6089 Yonge St., Newtonbrook. c2w36

10 APARTMENT FOR RENT

For rent—Furnished 5 room apartment. Ground floor. Apply 83 Prospect Ave., Newmarket, or phone 2597. c1w36

For rent—Four-room heated apartment, three-place bath, electric stove, electric refrigerator, janitor service. P. O. box 440, Newmarket. c3w36

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Stop! Look! Men's odd vests, size 36 to 46, at \$2.75. Be prepared for colder weather. c1w34

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We are now buyers of Red Clover, Mammoth Alfalfa and Alsike under the new government plan for farmers to share in the profits from the resale of export seed. Our machinery is equipped to handle your seed with the minimum of loss. We also buy Timothy and Sweet Clover. Send in your samples for valuation or better still call and pick up your seed, remit promptly and are authorized by the seed export board to issue participation certificates. H. R. Williams, Bradford, phone Bradford 47-24. c1w35

POLLOCK'S SHOES

68 Main St., Newmarket, phone 293

For sale—Work boots. Boys' school boots. Women's, misses' and children's at popular prices. Fall and winter footwear. c1w36

17A PRODUCE

For sale—Wholesale fruit and vegetables. Order your potatoes, carrots, yellow globe and sweet Spanish onions and parsnips for winter now. From Direct Supply, Highland Fruit and Vegetable Gardens. Bring own containers. W. C. McCullum, Holland Landing, phone 438w3, Newmarket. c1w33

For sale—Alexander and snow apples. By basket or bushel. E. F. Streeter, Newmarket, phone 238. c2w35

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Used Quebec heaters and cook stoves. Sewery's, used furniture and stoves, opposite Bradford theatre. c1w32

Wanted to buy—Small cement mixer, in good condition. Hand machine preferred. Apply S. L. Stephens, 27 Andrew St., Newmarket. c1w36

Wanted to buy—Large doll farm. In good condition. Apply 40 Ontario St. W., or phone 755, Newmarket. c1w36

19 USED CAR FOR SALE

For sale—1933 Chevrolet sedan. Good tires. Low mileage. Man's bicycle in good condition. Mrs. Frank Trusty, Newmarket. c1w36

22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Capable woman for general cleaning, one or two days a week. Apply Mrs. G. E. Case, 18 Park Ave., Newmarket, or phone 295. c1w36

GIRL WANTED

NICE OPPORTUNITY

Immediately, capable girl, general housework, two adults, three children, congenial treatment, private room and bath, no heavy laundry or waxing, other help weekly. Transportation to Toronto arranged. Salary \$30 to \$40 monthly with increases if mutually satisfied. Mrs. G. A. Morgan, 28 Strathearn Road, Toronto. c1w36

Help wanted—At once—good dishwasher for Tourist Lodge on Lake Simcoe. Good working conditions and accommodation. Good wages. Apply to Newmarket Selective Service Office. c1w36

Wanted—Truck driver over military age, able to handle lumber. Apply Selective Service Office, Newmarket. c2w35

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Established Rural Watkins District available. If you are aggressive, military exempt, and have or can secure travel outfit, this is your opportunity to make real money. For full particulars write today to The J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. O-N-1A, Montreal, Que. c1w36

24 LOST

Lost—A \$20 bill somewhere on Main St. Finder please reply to Era and Express box 753. Reward. c1w36

Lost—Bunch of keys attached to gasoline cap for Chevrolet car. In Newmarket near Thompson's garage. Finder please notify Fred Thompson, Newmarket. c1w36

26 STRAYED

Strayed—On Saturday night from the premises of Walter Draper, Keswick, black Holstein cow. Any one knowing whereabouts please notify Walter Draper, Keswick. c1w36

Strayed—Two Jersey cattle on the premises of Oscar Buckle, R. R. 3, Newmarket, on Monday. c1w36

27 FARM ITEMS

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. c2w15

For sale—Ford and Case plow-points and an assortment of other points at Newmarket Foundry. c1w36

For sale—Medium-sized man's green tweed fall overcoat. Apply 18 Andrew St., Newmarket, or phone 599V. c1w35

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For sale—Good tulips and pansies, hyacinth bulbs. L. P. Cane, 72 Huron St., Newmarket. c1w35

For sale—Ladies' and children's shoes at Hooker's Dry Goods Store. c1w35

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Engagements are 75 cents (50 cents if paid within a week), Cards of Thanks 75 cents (50 cents if paid within a week), and In Memoriams are 75 cents (50 cents if paid within a week) plus five cents a line for any verse that may be used.

furrow tractor plows; 1 2-furrow Cockshutt riding plow; 1 land roller, all steel, 3 drums; 2 cultivators. New root pulpers and 10 1/2 inch grinder in stock, also a number of units of McCormick-Deering milking machines. See me now on prices before you buy. Floyd R. Perkins, phone 21w, Richmond Hill. c2w36

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28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

PUREBRED

Yorkshires for sale—Weanling pigs, both sexes. Boars ready for service. Young sows bred to son of Grand Champion C.N.E. The improved short nose, easily kept. Apply E. Dennis, Newmarket. c1w34

For sale—A number of Yorkshire sows due from Oct. 10 on. K. E. Burrows, Belhaven. c2w35

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—February and April hatched pullets. Miss M. Atkins, Armitage, phone Newmarket 174w1. c1w36

For sale—100 White Leghorn pullets. Laying. R. U. Tate, Holland Landing. Telephone 512. c1w36

For sale—70 Leghorn yearlings. Bray-tested. Apply Leonard Selby, Sharon. Phone 1752 Newmarket. c2w36

For sale—Fifty Barred Rock chickens, mixed, four months old. Phone Newmarket 310w2 after 6 p.m. c1w33

For sale—100 pullets, New Hampshire Reds, 3 1/2 months old. Apply Era and Express box 754. c1w36

31 MISCELLANEOUS

ROCKWOOL HOME INSULATION

For free estimates with no obligation phone 681, Newmarket. c1w34

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Use Thuna's pink tablets for the nose and throat. For strengthening the throat; dropping of mucous discharge; sensation of a lump in the throat; bad taste in the mouth. They help build resistance against colds, clear the voice and give better bodily health. Obtained from The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket, Ont. c1w36

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. c1w35

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Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 511, Newmarket. c1w36

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Wanted to buy—Cars, trucks and tractors wanted for wrecking and scrapping. Apply Goodman Auto Wreckers, Newmarket. c1w36

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TENDERS WANTED

For painting Church of Christ at Pine Orchard. Tenders to be by Oct. 15. For particulars apply to undersigned, Ford H. Lehman, 32 Niagara St., Newmarket. c2w35

33 PETS

Hirds for sale—Carnaries, Border Fancy, Singers and hens. George Close, 2 Lydia St., or P.O. box 283, Newmarket. c1w36

NOTICE

The Mansion House, Uxbridge, will not serve meals on Thanksgiving Sunday and Monday, Oct. 10 and 11, due to shortage of help. c1w36

SALE REGISTER

Thursday, Oct. 14—Auction sale of Percheron horses, (matched teams), registered Holstein cattle, Yorkshire swine, hay, grain, feed, farm implements, household furniture, the property of Walter Durston. Will be sold at east half, lot 16, con. 2. Scott township, 2 1/2 miles south of Zephyr. At the same time and place, the above farm consisting of 98 acres, all under cultivation, new barn, cement stable and steel stanchion, modern 6-roomed house, spring water piped to buildings, school on property, will be offered subject to reserve bid, terms to be made known day of sale. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, auctioneer. c2w35

Friday, Oct. 15—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay, grain and buildings, the property of David Green, lot 15, con. 7, Whitchurch, 1 1/2 miles north of Lemonville, at 1 p.m. Terms cash. A. S. Farmer, auctioneer. c1w36

Saturday, Oct. 16—Auction sale of five acres of standing timber in quarter acre lots, on lot 20, con. 4, Whitchurch on Aurora sideroad, property of H. A. White. Terms cash. Sale at 1:30 sharp. Gordon Phillips, auctioneer. c1w36

Saturday, Oct. 16—Auction sale of standing timber belonging to J. H. Widdifield, lot 35, west half con. 5, East Gwillimbury (at Ravenshoe). Beech, maple, ash, cedar, elm and hemlock. To be sold in 1/4-acre lots, more or less. Terms cash. Sale at 1 p.m. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w36

Thursday, Oct. 21—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, grain and household goods, the property of Cornelius McCabe, lot 2, west half con. 7, King township, 1 mile south of Schomberg and Aurora highway, on con. 8, King township and one and a quarter miles east of highway 27, at 12 o'clock sharp. Terms cash except on tractor and milking machine, on which one-half purchase price must be paid on day of sale, balance terms can be arranged on approved joint note at 6 percent. Positively no reserve as owner has sold farm and has no further use for articles. Nothing to be removed until settled for. Elwood Dale and Lorne Goodfellow, clerks, A. M. McEwen, auctioneer. c1w35

Friday, Oct. 22—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay, grain, furniture, the property of George Blanchard, at lot 102, west of Yonge St., East Gwillimbury. Sale at 11 a.m. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. Leslie Mount and Kenneth Mount, clerks. c3w36

Thursday, Oct. 28—Auction sale of 100 acre farm, dairy cattle, horses, Yorkshire hogs, hay, grain, implements, etc., the property of W. L. Milgate, lot 20, rear concession 2, King township (Snowball), 2 miles west of Aurora. Terms cash. Terms for farm made known on day of sale. Farm closed at 3 p.m. Sale starts at 12:30 p.m. C. E. Widdington, auctioneer. c3w36

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In Memoriam

First—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. Dan Firth, who passed away Oct. 5, 1939.

Today recalls sad memories Of a dear mother gone to rest And the ones who think of her today Are the ones who loved her best.

Sadly missed by husband and family.

Haskett—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, George Haskett, who passed away Oct. 4, 1939.

He is gone but not forgotten, And, as dawn another year, In our lonely hours of thinking, Thoughts of him are always near. Days of sadness will come o'er us, Friends may think the wound is healed, But they little know the sorrow That lies within the heart concealed.

Always remembered by his wife and family.

Jones—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Robert William Jones, who passed away Oct. 5, 1936.

Not lost to the ones who loved you, Only gone on before To the beautiful Isle of Somewhere Where partings are no more. In our hearts you'll always linger Though the years may come and go.

You will always be remembered Father dear, we miss you so, We miss him here so very much, His presence oft seems nigh.

But we all hope in Heaven to meet Where no one says goodbye. Always lovingly remembered by

his wife and family, Bob, Percy, Bill, Lillian, Ivy and May.

Walton—In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Walter Watson, who died Oct. 3, 1942.

Deep in the heart lies a picture, Of a loved one laid to rest. In memory's frame we shall keep it Because she was one of the best.

Ever remembered by son, Aubrey, and Mildred.

O. W. Kirkby.

BIRTHS

Baker—At York County hospital, Oct. 1, in L.A.O. and Mrs. Stanley Baker, Richvale, a daughter.

Bergman—At York County hospital, Sept. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bergman, Aurora, a son.

Bond—At York County hospital, Oct. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bond, Newmarket, a daughter.

Love—At Albany hospital, Toronto, Sept. 30, to L.A.O. and Mrs. Bruce Love, Newmarket, a son. Daddy overseas.

Mack—At the Women's College hospital, Toronto, Oct. 1, to Mr.

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—Miss Marion Franklin, Malton, was a weekend guest of Miss Helen Whitfield at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Booth.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., Toronto, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morton, and family. Mrs. Milton Morton and family, Sutton, were their guests on Friday.

—Mrs. A. A. Gilmour, Parson, B.C., is visiting her niece, Miss Margaret Gilmour.

—Mr. Bruce Jefferson, Toronto, and Miss Marion Jefferson, Aurora, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jefferson.

—Miss Leah Garrow, Oshawa, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andrews. Miss Garrow was soloist at the Christian church at the morning and afternoon services.

—Miss Mary Rutledge, Reg. N., Hamilton, is visiting her father, Mr. W. E. Rutledge, for a few days.

—Mrs. R. A. Morris and Ted have returned to Newmarket after spending six weeks in Petawawa and Pembroke.

—Mrs. H. J. Crowder is spending a few days this week with her son, Mr. Wilfred Crowder, Queensville.

—Miss Marguerite Graves, Toronto, was visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Robt. Graves, Niagara St., and called on friends last Saturday on her way to spend the weekend with her parents at Ravenshoe.

—Mrs. Stella Boyd is home after a month's absence owing to the serious illness of her brother, Mr. A. Rose, who is still in St. Michael's hospital, Toronto.

—Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson and Joanna were in Brampton on Sunday. Mr. Johnson took the services in Christ church.

Mr. Johnson's brother, Rev. C. A. Johnson, B.A., who gave the address at the harvest home service at St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket, on Sunday morning.

—Pte. and Mrs. Allan Clissold, Kingston, spent Monday visiting

and Mrs. Douglas Mack (nee Gladys Sluggett), Aurora, a daughter, Marilynne Gladys.

Medema—At York County hospital, Oct. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Medema, R. R. 2, Newmarket, a daughter.

Riddell—Mr. and Mrs. David Riddell, Newmarket, are happy to announce the birth of a son, Robert John, on Tuesday, Oct. 5, 1943, at York County hospital. Both doing well.

Scott—At York County hospital, Oct. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scott, R. R. 1, King, a son.

Sheridan—At York County hospital, Oct. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sheridan, Newmarket, twin daughters.

Travis—At York County hospital, Oct. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Melville A. Travis, Ravenshoe, a son.

Vale—At York County hospital, to Phyllis (nee Peppiatt), wife of Joseph Vale, on Thursday, Oct. 7, the gift of a daughter.

DEATHS

Hulse—On Oct. 3, at his late residence, 1011 Ossington Ave., Toronto, Albert (Herb), husband of Emma Hulse (Phillips), father of Mildred, Cecil of Brown's Corners, Mrs. R. Pearson (James), Downsview; Vern, Melville (Rita), St. George's Hotel (Evan), and Mary, aged 67.

The funeral service was held at the late address on Monday afternoon. Interment Hulse Hill cemetery.

Kirkby—At Toronto General Hospital, on Sept. 30, Adelaide R. Thompson, wife of George William Kirkby, Newmarket,

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SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

Loring Doolittle, Velma Pugh Are Senior Champs

With perfect weather conditions prevailing and keen enthusiasm shown in every event, Aurora public school held its annual field day on Friday, with over 140 contestants in the events.

Principal John G. McDonald and his staff ran off the events with clock-like precision. A preliminary contest, with over 200 competing, was held the Wednesday previous. Five teams competed for team honors, with Donald Holman's team with 149 points in first place. Betty Corbett (131), Howard Milne (123), Velma Pugh (120) and Bill McGhee (95) furnished stiff competition.

Champions crowned were: senior boys, Loring Doolittle, runner-up, Jack Flicker; intermediate boys, J. Brown, runner-up, Hugh McRae; junior boys, Bruce Wray, runner-up, Eugene Underhill; senior girls, Velma Pugh, runner-up, Fatsy Sutton; intermediate girls, Shirley Sutton, runner-up, Dorothy Martin; junior girls, M. Pattenden, runner-up, M. Sherman and G. Shepherd tied.

Results of events were:
Senior boys: standing broad jump, J. Flicker, 7' 7", W. Linton, J. King, L. Doolittle and C. Southwood.

Running broad jump, C. Southwood, 15' 3", J. Flicker, B. Wilcox, L. Doolittle, B. McGhee.
Standing hop, step and jump, J. Flicker, 23' 1", L. Doolittle, B. Wilcox, B. McGhee, W. Linton.

Running hop, step, L. Doolittle, 32' 7", C. Southwood, B. McGhee, J. Flicker, F. Whitehead.
High jump, W. Linton, B. Wilcox, L. Doolittle, T. Holman, C. Southwood.

Senior girls: standing broad jump, P. Sutton, 6' 10", D. Watson, P. Pugh, B. Saigle, M. McGhee.
Running broad jump, P. Pugh, 12' 9", P. Sutton, B. Saigle, D. Watson, I. Bruce.

Standing hop, step, P. Pugh, 19' 3", P. Sutton, D. Watson, H. Komar, B. Saigle.
Running hop, step, P. Pugh, 28' 8", P. Sutton, H. Komar, M. McGhee, D. Watson.

High jump, P. Pugh, P. Sutton, B. Saigle, M. McGhee.
Intermediate boys: standing broad jump, H. McRae, 6' 6", T. Dobson, J. Brown, R. Rank, L. Graham.

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Brown, 28' 1/2", N. Wilcox, H. McRae, L. Graham, L. Anthony.
High jump, L. Graham, J. Brown, H. Stone, F. Lee, T. Barrager.

Intermediate girls: standing broad jump, D. Martin, 6' 5 1/4", S. Sutton, E. Devins, J. Adams, A. Boulding.

Running broad jump, S. Sutton, 12' 5 1/2", S. Sherman, B. Case, C. Shropshire, A. Barnes.

Standing hop, step and jump, D. Martin, 20' 2", E. Devins, J. Mingay, S. Sutton, J. Maaten.

Running hop, step and jump, D. Martin, 29' 3", S. Sutton, S. Woodward, A. Barnes, J. Mingay.

High jump, S. Sherman, S. Starkey, D. Martin, S. Sutton, J. Mingay.

Junior boys: standing broad jump, B. Wray, 6' 2 1/4", C. Sutton, B. McGirr, G. Bergman, E. Underhill.

Running broad jump, E. Underhill, 12' 8 1/4", B. Wray, B. McGirr, C. Sutton, G. Bergman.

Junior girls: standing broad jump, G. Shepherd, 5' 9", M. Pattenden, D. McCluskey, C. Cousins, M. Sherman.

Running broad jump, M. Pattenden, 10' 9 1/4", J. Case, M. Sherman, R. Steadman, B. Holman.

Relay races, by teams: boys, D. Holman, H. Milne, B. Corbett, V. Pugh, B. McGhee.

Girls, D. Holman, H. Milne, V. Pugh, B. McGhee, B. Corbett.

Boys' races: age 14-15, L. Doolittle, J. Flicker, C. Southwood, B. Wilcox, D. Egan.

Age 13, B. McGhee, J. Dunham, H. Nesbitt, B. Lubbock, J. King.

Age 12, L. Graham, R. Rank, J. Brown, B. Stephenson, T. Barrager.

Age 11, H. McRae, T. Dobson, G. Simmons, C. Case, M. Urquhart.

Age 10, E. Underhill, B. McGirr, R. Roussele, J. Martin.

Age 9, B. Wray, L. Easterbrook, C. Marston, B. Ash, W. Fleury.

Age 8, G. Chapman, K. Kincaid, F. Rogers, S. Wilson, D. Morning.

Age 7, R. Geddes, J. Urquhart, J. Bradbury, E. Fern, F. McClennay.

Girls' races: age 14-15, V. Pugh, P. Sutton, B. Saigle, D. Watson, E. Longfield.

Age 13, I. Bruce, H. Komar, M. Brodie.

Age 12, S. Sutton, C. Shropshire, D. Martin, S. Sherman, A. Barnes.

Age 11, E. Thomson, J. Nesbitt, E. Devins, T. Preston, E. Lubbock.

Age 10, M. Pattenden, G. Shepherd, D. McCluskey, C. Cousins, M. Stephenson.

Age 9, M. Sherman, B. Holman, M. Smith, R. Steadman, R. Warlow.

Age 8, B. Brown, H. Long, M. Heard, R. Brown, J. Sutton.

Age 7, P. D. Lustic, M. Adams, B. Smith, J. Scott, D. Chapman.

Age 6, M. Sherman, B. Holman, M. Smith, R. Steadman, R. Warlow.

Age 5, B. Brown, H. Long, M. Heard, R. Brown, J. Sutton.

Age 4, P. D. Lustic, M. Adams, B. Smith, J. Scott, D. Chapman.

Age 3, M. Sherman, B. Holman, M. Smith, R. Steadman, R. Warlow.

Age 2, B. Brown, H. Long, M. Heard, R. Brown, J. Sutton.

Age 1, P. D. Lustic, M. Adams, B. Smith, J. Scott, D. Chapman.

Age 0, M. Sherman, B. Holman, M. Smith, R. Steadman, R. Warlow.

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SHOW BRINGS \$100

Several hundred Aurorans enjoyed the variety show produced by Lifebuoy Folies in Mechanics' hall on Saturday night in aid of the Aurora Red Cross. The show featured Pat Rafferty of Dumbell fame and other well-known artists. Around \$100 was cleared for the society. President Dr. E. J. Henderson extended thanks on behalf of the Red Cross. Aurora Boy Scouts were ushers for the occasion.

VICTORY CHORISTERS WILL CARRY ON AGAIN

Aurora Victory chorus decided to carry on once again and plans were laid for a Christmas concert, with net proceeds going to charity, at an enthusiastic meeting held in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening. It is thought likely only one concert will be held this year and the membership will be around 80 persons.

Illyd Harris once again will be conductor and Dr. Crawford Rose is president. Officers elected were: vice-pres., Mrs. J. D. Wilcox; secretary, Mrs. George Baldwin; treasurer, Charles Davies; librarian, Charles Bilbrough; ticket sales, Ben Harrison; decorations, Mrs. Alex. Kirkwood, Mrs. M. Jenkinson and Mrs. Herbert Summers; membership, Chester Osborne; gowns, Mrs. Charles Bilbrough. Around \$500 has been raised for the chorus for war charities since the group was first organized in 1941.

Social and Personal

L. Cpl. Ben Case and Mrs. Case, Barrie, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Case. Cpl. Case is an instructor at Camp Borden.

Mrs. M. Walton spent the weekend in Toronto visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. James and Mrs. F. Kirkland.

Miss Anna Leggett, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leggett.

Miss Georgie Charles, R.N., has returned to Toronto after spending a month's holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. J. Charles.

Miss Beverley Nisbet, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Nisbet. Mr. O. D. Hess is holidaying in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hughes are on holidays at Kingston, Ontario.

Mrs. J. R. Harrison, Windsor, former Aurora resident, was in town last week calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGhee spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Borden at Raydon Lodge, Oakville.

Mr. and Mrs. Werden Leavens and son of Bolton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Giles.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell spent Sunday in Toronto.

Merchant Gives Change For Worthless Cheque

A slick cheque artist included Aurora in his itinerary last week and managed to take an Aurora merchant for \$6, "the first time in 11 years" the merchant had been similarly fooled.

Introducing himself as waiting to see a local customer a well-dressed, highly polished individual, apparently a traveller, looked over some goods. He decided to purchase some and ordered them sent by express to an Ottawa address.

For payment he tendered a printed commission cheque made out by a Winnipeg firm and with a series of signatures, cancellations and other safeguards as might be expected on any similar cheque.

The merchant unhesitatingly gave him the change and next day forwarded the goods by express. Fortunately, however, by virtue of the man's apprehension elsewhere the local merchant was able to recover his goods in Ottawa before anyone called for them. The cheque proved to be a phony.

MOVE TO AURORA

Mr. and Mrs. J. Graves, Coldwater, have occupied an apartment at Greenbank, Yonge Street.

DEFEAT PICKERING

St. Andrew's College seconds on Saturday afternoon defeated Pickering College intermediates at rugby 16-8, in a well played game.

CALLED TO BAR

Recently called to the bar was George Stoddart, Bradford, member of a well-known district family. He will practise law in Oshawa.

ARE BROTHER AND SISTER



Pictured above are the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert G. Jennings, R. R. 3, King. Gerald Gordon was six years old on June 30 and Donna Marlene will be two years old on Oct. 3. Photo by Budd.

A.H.S. PREPARES FOR ANNUAL FIELD DAY

With the election of executives for both the girls' and boys' athletic societies, the decks have been cleared for the annual high school field day to be held on Friday, Oct. 15.

Verna Bryson heads the girls and Bill Babcock the boys, with five teams and co-captains as follows:

Red, Gar. Doolittle and Pearl Mackey; green, Pete King and Verna Bryson; yellow, Charlie Williams and Marie Hulme; white, Ross Atkinson and Joyce McLeod; black, Bill Williams and Mavis Sisman; blue, Douglas Clarke and Maxine McKenzie.

Officers of the two organizations, who will work closely together, are: girls, honorary president, Miss Gladys Humphreys; secretary, Frances Moore; treasurer, Lorna Cousins; form reps, Shirley F. Ingold, Agnes Hill, Jacqueline Thomson, Eva Wray, Carol Underhill, Peggy Gunton and Margaret Walton.

Boys: honorary president, J. H. Knowles; vice-pres., Pete King; secretary, Bill Williams; treasurer, Gib. Smith; track and field manager, Charlie Seath.

DEBATE RENTING RINK FOR COMING SEASON

With only a quorum present most of the evening, and many problems arising, Aurora town fathers, at a meeting Monday evening, left over until next Tuesday the question of the operation of Aurora arena this winter.

Leslie Beazer, former manager of Toronto Ravina rink, appeared to ask a reply to his application to either rent or manage the arena. "The season is approaching," said Mr. Beazer, "I would like to get a decision soon."

"The question is one of dollars and cents," said Councillor Fred. Rowland. "We have not been getting all we can get from the rink. The property committee haven't time to run the rink as it should be run."

"We built the rink more as a service for the community than a paying proposition," said Councillor A. A. Cook. "I don't know whether we should let the rink on contract."

"I am ready to live up to whatever obligations the town has," said Mr. Beazer. "The school children will be well looked after, as well as all concerned. It is a question of making full use of every hour and securing a full schedule. A lot will depend on the weather, of course, as to the full return. Last year you showed a deficit of \$156, while Richmond Hill made over \$800."

He outlined to the council some of the proposals he had in mind to increase revenue.

"There is not much doubt in my mind but that someone on the job all the time and working to make money for himself as well as for us will do a better job," said Councillor Gunton.

"I don't see where we can lose under the proposal," said Mayor Underhill. "I suggest the solicitor draft a list of the things we need to safeguard our interests and the clerk prepare a comparative financial statement of the various years."

Between now and Tuesday the council and Mr. Beazer will try and work out satisfactory arrangements to be considered at a full meeting of the council.

IS KICKED BY HORSE

While shoeing a horse, Ed. Carson, Aurora blacksmith, sustained a kick from the animal. He suffered a badly bruised shoulder and a splintered bone in his arm.

Arthur Lloyd, an employee of the Collis Leather Co., has enlisted for active service.

LAC Vern. Powell, Dunnville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cameron.

Assessor And Garbage Collector Ask Increases

"Our population is now 2,990 persons, and I have not included the floating population but only bona fide residents," the town assessor, Major W. H. Taylor, told the Aurora town council on Monday night as he submitted his 17th assessment return.

Total assessment for the municipality was \$1,622,271, an increase of a few hundred dollars over last year despite the fact that the assessment on the new municipal building and other property taken over by the town decreased the general roll over \$8,700.

There are 529 school children. There were 46 births and 14 deaths. The canine population amounts to 180 known.

"I have to submit lists to both school principals of all children of school age, which makes quite a bit of extra work," said Mayor Taylor. "This year was the hardest assessment to make in some years, with so many changes, and yet I had the least trouble with the people."

"I feel I am entitled to a raise in salary. My salary of \$250 is one of the lowest in the province. The assessor at Newmarket gets \$475, and I believe there are more assessment appeals from his roll. The assessor at Markham gets \$25 more than I do. All civic employees have had an increase."

"What do you think would be fair?" asked Mayor Frank Underhill.

"An increase of \$50 would be about right," said Mr. Taylor. "We will submit it to the finance committee," said the mayor.

"We appreciate your faithful service to the town."

J. E. Buchanan, who holds the contract for the collection of garbage, appeared before the council to ask for an increase of \$25 per month for his work. "I lost money last winter," said Mr. Buchanan. "I have to pay extra wages, and am lucky if I can get men to help. Expenses are up all the way along the line."

"Your contract does not end until December," said Mayor Underhill. "A raise would make your payment \$1,800. This is the first intimation I have had that you want a raise. It should be submitted in writing. We will probably have to call for tenders."

"The present contract was let by tender, two years ago when Mr. Rowling wanted more money," said Councillor G. A. C. Gunton. "We would have to do the same now."

"I will carry on until the matter is settled," said Mr. Buchanan. "In any case I won't see you stuck."

Thomas Spence, Tyler St., requested the council to put wire as a safety measure on the railing over the tannery creek bridge. "It is dangerous for children and, with the condition of the sidewalk, bad in winter for older people," said Mr. Spence. "You have wire available, I understand, and it will not cost much."

"It is something that needs to be done," said Councillor Ross Linton, as the council referred the matter to the streets committee for action.

Victory Loan Organizer Tells Campaign Plans

H. L. Trapp, North York Victory loan organizer and Harry E. Lambert, Newmarket, requested co-operation from the Aurora town council on Monday evening for the forthcoming Victory loan.

"Our quota for North York has been raised to \$2,275,000, an increase of \$125,000, but we have left Aurora's objective alone," said Mr. Trapp. A loud-speaker will be used on Saturday nights on Yonge St. throughout the campaign, with Aurora men making short addresses to spur on sales. Stencils with appropriate slogans will be used on the sidewalks.

Permission was granted by the council for the holding of a tagging day in aid of the Chinese Relief fund on Saturday, Oct. 23.

A court of revision to hear assessment appeals, composed of the mayor, reeve, deputy reeve, and Councillors Ross Linton and A. A. Cook, will sit on Monday, Nov. 1.

"We have no power either to license or stop a junk-yard or wrecker's yard," Town Solicitor Lorne C. Lee told the council. "It is something the legislature has not dealt with."

"Do you mean to say we couldn't stop one in the heart of the town?" asked Mr. Linton.

"Only by way of nuisance or as a fire hazard," said Mr. Lee.

The finance committee recommended the placing of insurance to cover the town's liability when town employees are driving their own vehicles or the municipality's on town business.

RETURN TO SCHOOL

Misses Iris and Heather Hamilton, who have been spending the holiday months with their mother, Mrs. Donald Hamilton, resumed their studies this week at Hatfield Hall, Cobourg.

IVAN STECKLEY WEDS CITY GIRL

A pretty wedding took place in St. Hilda's Anglican church, Toronto, on Sept. 25, when Norma Florence Nettleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nettleton, Amherst Ave., Toronto, became the bride of Robert Ivan Steckley, Aurora, son of Robert Steckley and the late Mrs. Steckley. Rev. P. W. A. Roberts performed the ceremony. Harry Palmer played the wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin made on long lines and a fingertip veil held by a halo of orange blossoms. She carried shaded pink roses and gypsophila. The bridesmaids were Miss Evelyn McNeill and Miss Muriel Yates. They wore dresses of turquoise sheer and lace over taffeta, blue flower headpieces with matching shoulder veils and bouquets of coral roses. Howard Haines was best man. The ushers were Douglas Harrison and Douglas Wilson, all of Aurora.

At the reception held at the bride's home, the bride's mother received in a beaded brown silk crepe suit with a corsage of yellow roses and purple asters. The groom's grandmother received wearing black silk crepe with red roses.

On a wedding trip to northern Ontario, the bride wore a turquoise silk dress trimmed with sequins, and a black chokerfield coat and a black hat. On their return the young couple will reside in Aurora.

HAS OPERATION

Miss Audrey McCluskey underwent an operation in York County hospital last week and is convalescing nicely.

Pte. William Watson, after five months in British Columbia, arrived home this week on furlough.

PRESENT PAGEANT WRITTEN BY PASTOR

Large crowds attended both morning and evening services at Aurora United church on Sunday. In the morning over 350 members of the church partook of Holy Communion. In the evening a group of young people from the church produced a Biblical pageant, written by the pastor, Rev. Roy Hicks, and musically arranged by Mrs. Cedric Willis.

Lantern slides and the Aurora high school loud-speaker system were used with dramatic and novel effect. The cast included Bill Babcock, Dorothy Richardson, Peter King, Lily King, John Crysdale, Donald Stephenson and Bruce Underhill. Walter Bunn and Douglas Fisher handled the slides and lighting.

Following the evening service the Y.P.U. met in the church parlors, when President Bill Babcock and his executive discussed with the members programs for the balance of the year.

SCOUTS ATTEND MEET

John Crysdale, assistant scoutmaster, 1st Aurora Boy Scout troop, Peter Crysdale, Douglas Thompson, Harold Lubbock and Don Egan were among Scout leaders attending a district meeting at the home of George Lake, Langstaff, on Saturday.

Commissioner Clark Locke was present for the occasion and a fireside conference and various games and tests were enjoyed.

Fred Harvie, acting scoutmaster, owing to pressure of other duties has been forced to withdraw from the organization this fall but members of the group committee and the older boys are carrying on. A hike is being held on Saturday.

TAKES BUSINESS COURSE

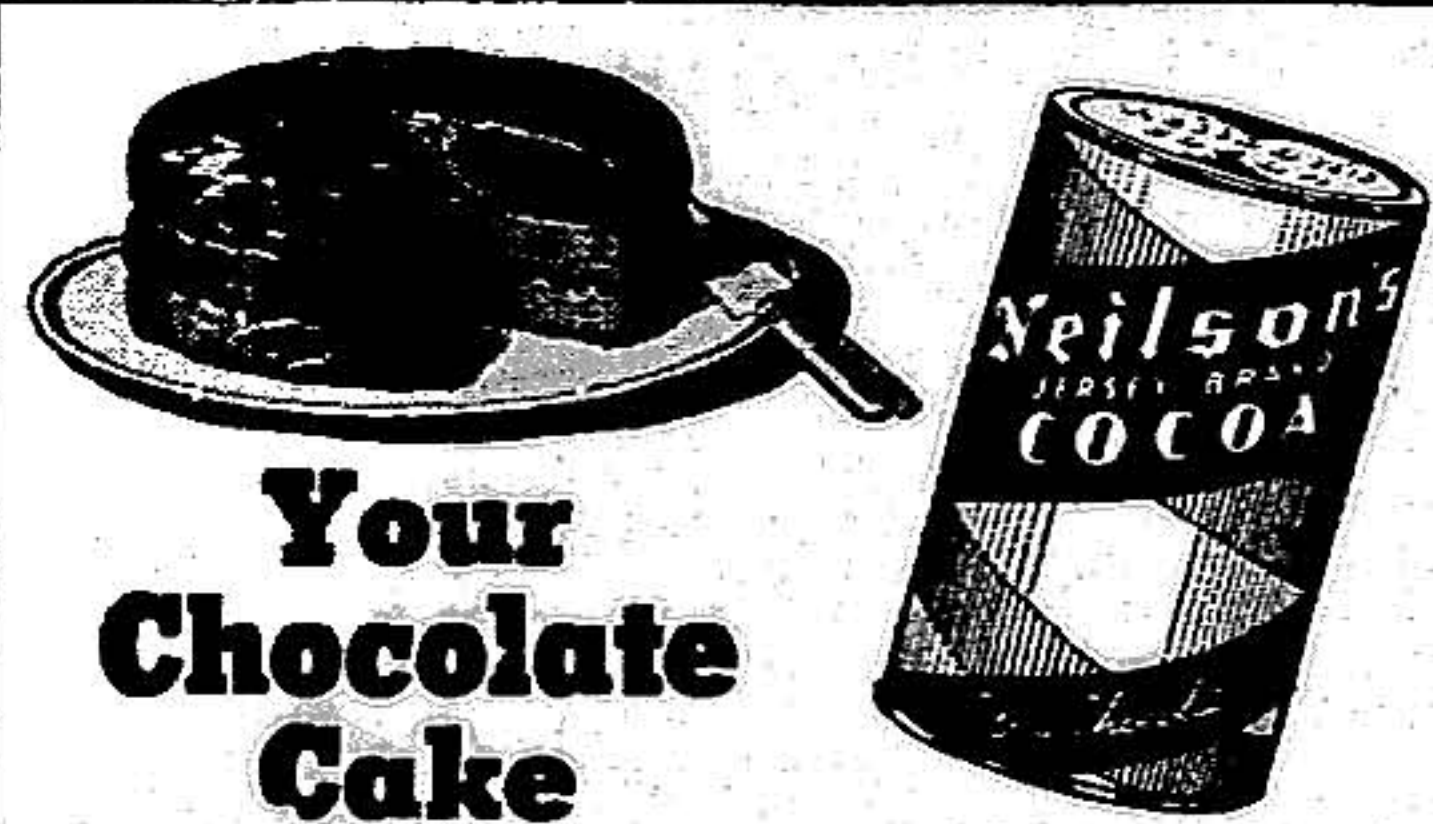
Charles Lawson is taking a business course in Toronto this fall.

L.-Cpl. Arie Barlaear, Petawawa camp, spent the weekend at his home.

AUTUMN WEDDING IS PRETTY EVENT

The home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linton, Claremont, was the scene of a pretty wedding when their

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ENGLISH LADY MADE HOME IN NEWMARKET

Mrs. Geo. Wm. Kirkby, 101 Andrew St., Newmarket, died in a Toronto hospital last Thursday in her 70th year.

Adele Robertha Thompson was born in Birmingham, England, and came to Canada with her husband in 1906. They lived in Toronto until 1915, when they both went to Britain to live in Barrow-on-Furness, because of the illness of Mr. Kirkby's mother, whom Mrs. Kirkby nursed.

Mr. Kirkby worked for Vickers Armstrong & Co. as a mechanic. Mr. Kirkby's mother died, and after the war Mr. and Mrs. Kirkby returned to Canada, coming to Newmarket in 1920.

During her illness Mrs. Kirkby asked her husband as a last request, to take a message of "love to all in Newmarket." Mrs. Kirkby had many friends in Newmarket and enjoyed to the full the more than 20 years she spent in Newmarket.

Surviving are her husband, who will be 80 years old in January, a brother, Ernest Thompson, and two sisters, Mrs. Clarissa Jewell and Miss Ruth Thompson, all of Toronto.

Mr. Kirkby is going to spend a month with friends at Cuddeles near Barrie.

Rev. Geo. H. Johnson at St. Paul's Anglican church conducted the funeral service in Toronto and the interment in Scarborough Memorial Park cemetery, Toronto.

Corsican Teacher—"Now, Janey, can you give me Napoleon's nationality?" Janey—"Course I can." Teacher—"Yes, that's correct."

DOWN THE CENTRE

Mirabile Dictu: Out of the dim distant past, emerged a giant figure of yesteryear to hit once again the athletic headlines.

Big Alex Webster has done it again! After most people had thought the former ace of the Newmarket Redmen was finished on the mound, Alex. turned up as first-string pitcher for C.C.M. in the Mount Dennis industrial softball league, which is composed of eight teams and classed too, and in his final game pitched a two-hitter for a 2-0 win over McQuay-Norris. The C.C.M. team average age is well over 35, which also includes the big fellow whose age is a secret. The Webster boys went through the season undefeated and in the play-offs lost only one game.

For almost a decade Webster was the ace softball pitcher of the district, with a real fast-ball, and a nifty change of pace which left the boys swinging futilely. He was a power hitter too, and one of the best umpire baiters in the circuit. Previous to coming to canal-town, Webster had pitched Brantford to an intermediate title.

Softball has been characterized this year by the return of veterans. That Invictus club from Toronto which had "Flash" Hollett at second base, bowed out to Oshawa, and a quick round-up of both teams showed an average age that also reached over 35. Softball is one sport where the old-timers can pretty well hold their own except for base-running. Hollett, who is well known in these parts, is only 31 and will again line up with the Boston Bruins.

Newmarket gained a welcome addition to the sporting scene as Jimmy Walker, Aurora insurance man and hockey executive, moved northward. Walker during his sojourn in Aurora has been president of the Aurora Junior hockey club for three years and last winter was president of the Aurora town

league. His first love, however, is for the kids and he delights seeing the tadpoles in action. It was the same at Depot Harbor, Parry Sound and Barrie, where Jimmy previously resided. At the Sound he was connected either as coach or manager with those good junior teams which used to give the Newmarket Redmen many an anxious moment. Hockey is not the only sport where the dynamic James can be persuaded to lend a hand. We know he will always retain a warm spot in his heart for the Aurora youngsters, even tho' along with those us who have carried the white man's burden in athletics too long, he will still deplore the general apathy of the average Aurora citizen to sport.

Myles MacInnis, blond bomber of both Aurora and Newmarket junior teams and one of the best juniors produced in these parts in some years, graduated as an air gunner last week at Macdonald. MacInnis would have been headed for the cockpit in the hockey world this winter, but last spring, as soon as he had reached the age for the R.C.A.F., enlisted under his own power.

Austy Baker, once ace marksman of Markham juniors, is now stationed on ground crew duty with the fliers at Hagersville and expects to play for the service team from that centre this winter.

Wes. Botham, former Bradford hockeyist, after being on ground duties with the pigeons in Newfoundland for the past two years, has returned for air crew duty and is in training near Ottawa.

Richmond Hill arena has been given a new coat of paint both inside and out and presents a de luxe appearance for the forthcoming hockey season. The Hill will play both juvenile and midget hockey, we understand, and in addition, with radial facilities at the doorstep, there will be hundreds of T.H.L. games played there. Here is one rink which is really paying its way now and with an increased community interest in athletics we can expect to see some smart teams developed in the next few years.

Earl Cook, after a fair sort of season with the Portland Oregon AA team in the Pacific coast league, is back home in Lemonville. The Portland team finished fourth in an eight-club circuit and was going better at the end of the season than at the beginning. The club whittled a pitching staff of 12 down to a workable size and Cookie was one of those to earn a regular starting berth. He didn't set the league on fire but as usual was a good, dependable workhorse. Despite shortage of players, it is a foregone conclusion that he will not hit the big leagues.

Brother Harold Cook, who is serving with the artillery, has been promoted to corporal. Harold never reached the same degree of effectiveness as his elder brother but at a time when the York-Simcoe league wasn't as classy as in other years did almost as good a job. Ranking with the performance of Alex. Webster was the return to action for a brief spell this year of "Lefty" Lennox, probably the greatest pitcher ever to perform in the district. Lennox played for Ivy and then went to Stouffville, where his portside shoots annexed a league title and seemed headed

HOPE

Miss Ruth Pegg, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Scott returned on Thursday, from their honeymoon, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards. They remained until Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Esther Boyd, Orillia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Staff Byers, Orillia, had tea on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd.

Mr. Arthur Edwards visited at Mr. L. Cain's on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. Cutting, Aurora, and Miss Beryl Wilson, Newmarket, visited at the Edwards' home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stickwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lepard at Burford on the return trip of their honeymoon on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stickwood returned on Saturday afternoon.

Pte. Harold Stickwood, Camp Borden, is home on two weeks furlough.

The young folks of the community civilities Mr. and Mrs. Scott on Friday evening at the Edwards' home and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Stickwood on Saturday evening at the Stickwood home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pegg, Lillian and Donny, and Mr. Alonzo Ganton, motored to Hillsdale on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dike visited Mr. and Mrs. John Widdifield, Silom, on Sunday afternoon.

Bernard Pegg of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, was calling on relatives here on Saturday.

There will be a progressive euchre in the 4th line schoolhouse on Friday, Oct. 15, at 8 p.m. Prizes will be awarded and a chicken and a linen kerchief will be given away. The proceeds are in aid of the fund for overseas boxes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Walker and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lewis at Downsview over the weekend. Mrs. Lewis returned with them for a week's vacation.

Willow Beach

Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahoney motored to Orillia on Saturday.

Mrs. M. McEachern is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Acl Chapman.

The Boys' Comforts club met at Mrs. Herb. Powell's on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. David Barrett spent last weekend with Mrs. Barrett's grandmother, Mrs. George Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Dore motored to Toronto on Wednesday.

Greenwood Lodge is closed for another season. Mrs. Smith returned to Toronto on Sunday.

Holland Landing

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kitching over the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. Verne Kitching and daughter and Mrs. F. Kitching, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Denne and daughter of Queensville. Sgt. Gordon Kitching from Newfoundland is also spending two weeks furlough with his brother.

Pte. Norman Sweet of Toronto, who recently enlisted in the army, spent his first weekend leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Park and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and family, Churchville, on Sunday. Miss Bessie Evans, R.N., Orillia, visited her mother, Mrs. M. Evans, on Wednesday.

Miss Jean Stephenson, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunt, Mrs. Olive Fletcher and Mr. Sam Fletcher, Toronto, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. B. Perce and family, and called on numerous friends in town.

for the Ontario crown until an injury intervened.

This year "Happy" Emms, coach of the Omaha Knights, ex-New York Rangers and well known Barrie athlete, who is now located at Everet, near Borden, reorganized the village hardball nine and not to be outdone Lennox, who is at Ivy, took over the Ivy club for some interesting games in the district. Both old-timers were in rare form. Lennox leaves this month to work for the winter with the C.N.R.

Bill Stephenson, former Beeton and Bradford hockey star, overseas with the 48th Highlanders, has seen action in Sicily and Italy, according to latest advice received by friends. So far he is well and safe. Just another sportsman doing a fine job.

Galt is certainly going in for hockey in a big way this season backed by Detroit Red Wings and the former sponsors of Stratford juniors. We do not know how national selective service works, but no less than 19 junior stars from other centres have found their way to the banks of the Speed. Included in the list are imports from Montreal, Toronto, Milton, Timmins, Saskatoon, North Bay, New Liskeard, Owen Sound and Brantford.

Al. Murray, former New York American star, is coach of the team. Last year he was with Brantford Lions, who also were linked with the Detroit club.

Bernie McCarthy, ex-Markham and Unionville player, Ronnie Roberts, who played for Milton juniors for two years in the local junior group, and Ronnie Rowe, the Markham flash, who tried out with Toronto Leafs last year, are definite starters with the Galt team. Rowe has been playing hardball in Galt and soccer in Toronto all summer in one of those oddities of sport. Rowe hit over 300 during the regular season and managed a 324 figure during the junior O.A.B.A. play-offs. The team will serve as a feeder for the championship Red Wings. J. J. McFayden of Galt is 2nd vice-president of the O.A.B.A. So we presume there will be little difficulty about transfers, altho' we believe this to be the biggest list of imports to hit any centre outside of Toronto in many a day.

Jack Adams, coach of the Red Wings, along with Carson Cooper personally hand-picked the boys. Adams believes that Chicago Black Hawks, who feature our old friend, Bill Thoms, will be the team to beat this season because they have lost less players than the rest. The present Hawk club is composed of veterans and the younger members are real dirt farmers out west and for the present at least outside draft requirements. Detroit will do its practising this winter at night in order that most of its players will be able to work in war plants during the day.

Value of experience, coming after 25 years in big-time, which includes 17 for pudgy Jawn with the Wings, gives out some pearls of wisdom which some of the lads might benefit by, namely and to wit: "There are 13 million people in Canada but there are few hockey players among them. Red Wings went into the farm club system simply because you can't buy good players and can't sell bad ones. There are bums and smart fellows playing hockey—we don't want bums. There are too many in the game now. We don't want boys who hang around pool-rooms and beverage rooms. We want hockey players. There will be lots of room for hockey players in the National league after the war. They are planning a big sport palace at Brooklyn, while Philadelphia and some of the other larger cities will be in the National league after the war. A fellow can be a top-notch hockey player or he can just be another minor leaguer. You will get out of the game only what you put into it, so why be a minor leaguer?" Adams' words need no comment.

Wedding bells rang out last week for one of the district's best known figures, Max Reesor of Markham. Farmer Maxie was married to Rilla Milroy, sister of Harry ("Whammy") Milroy. For years Maxie was one of the roughest, toughest hockey hounds you would care to meet and in company with brother Pete provided some exciting moments in Aurora, Newmarket, Stouffville and Sutton. When playing days were over, he took to refereeing and had plenty of color and ability too. In his day he was one of the best referees balsters. But all that changed and he always handled things well. He is some pumpkins as a lawn bowler and curler now and his many friends throughout the district will wish him well. The boys down Markham way held a fine stag party and presentation for him.

"Mac" Ogilvie, former Bradford, Newmarket and Gravenhurst hockey player, was a recent arrival overseas. Remember when "Mac" helped an injury-riddled Newmarket team skate to a dominion title as he faithfully followed Bill Hancock's instructions to another and shadow Montreal and Regina stars?

Reg. Hulton, former Blueville hardballer, now an officer with the R.C.A.F., has been posted to (Page 7, Col. 3)

Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. T. Rosskops and Beverly, all of Owen Sound spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

Miss Frances Somerville, Schomberg, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster spent Saturday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Copson, King City.

Miss Alva Shanks, Buffalo, and Mrs. Albert Shanks, Aurora, called on Mr. and Mrs. Jas. West, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Patton, Aurora, spent last Friday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. Donald Webster and Miss Mona Little, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Webster.

Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, Aurora, called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster on Tuesday.

The harvest home services of Glenville United church will be held on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

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MAPLE HILL

Misses Mae Gillet and Gladys White, Orillia, spent last week with Mrs. Fred Knights.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Boothby are moving to Newmarket this week. G. Thompson, Mount Albert, took the services at Maple Hill church last Sunday, in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, who were at Cananington providing special music for the anniversary services there.

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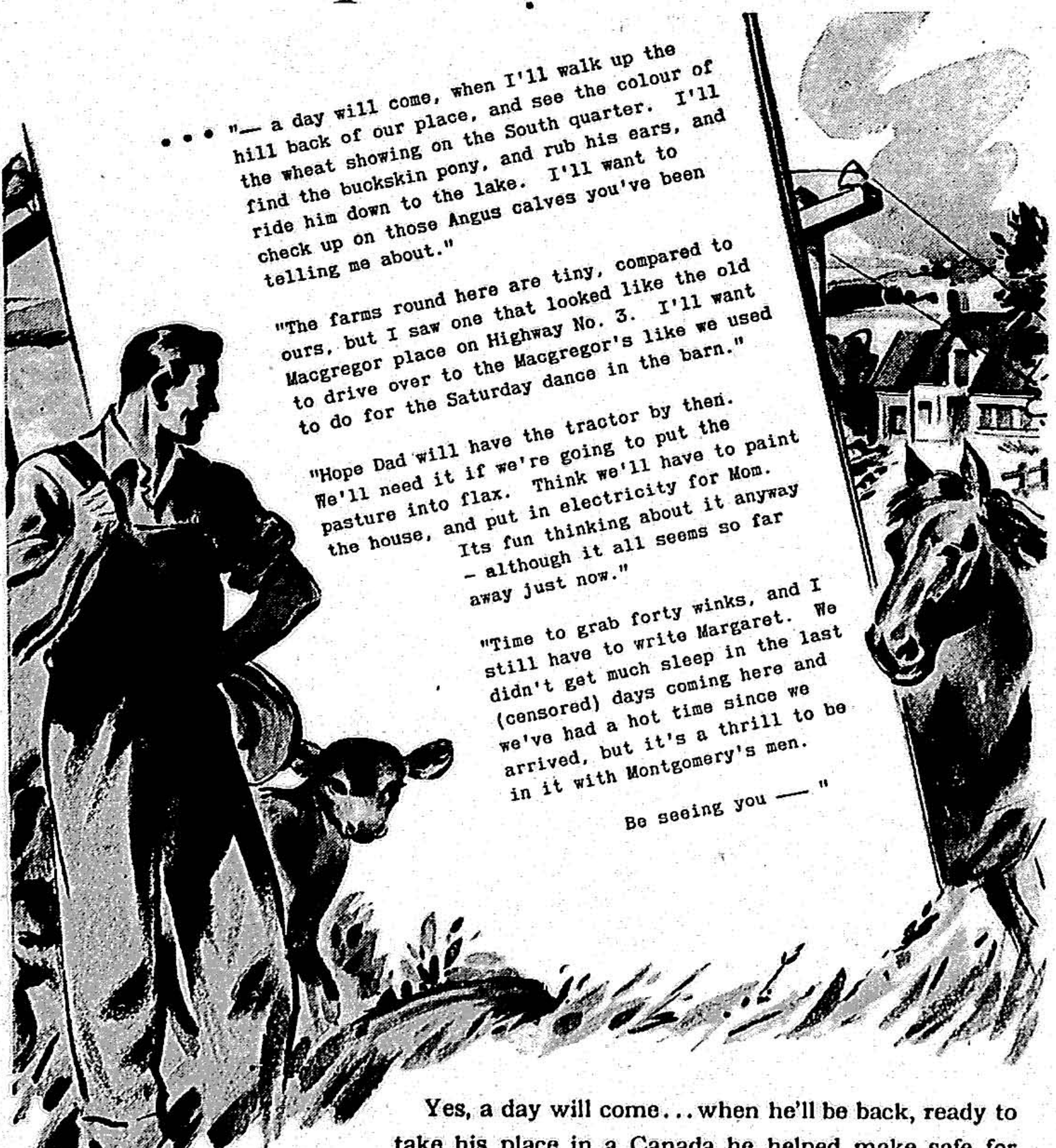
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"The farms round here are tiny, compared to ours, but I saw one that looked like the old Macgregor place on Highway No. 3. I'll want to drive over to the Macgregor's like we used to do for the Saturday dance in the barn."

"Hope Dad will have the tractor by then. We'll need it if we're going to put the pasture into flax. Think we'll have to paint the house, and put in electricity for Mom. Its fun thinking about it anyway - although it all seems so far away just now."

"Time to grab forty winks, and I still have to write Margaret. We didn't get much sleep in the last (censored) days coming here and we've had a hot time since we arrived, but it's a thrill to be in it with Montgomery's men."

Be seeing you — "

Yes, a day will come... when he'll be back, ready to take his place in a Canada he helped make safe for all of us. To speed that day is in our power. We at home... in factories, in offices, on farms... work long hours to hurry it along. We go without, and lend our savings to provide what he needs to win quickly. This is the least that anyone can do. And when that day comes—you'll want to welcome him—and to help him make his hopes come true.

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When it is considered that Canada's loss by fire in 1942 was 304 lives and over \$31,000,000 property damage, it is easily apparent that something must be done about it. Fire is a disease that annually saps our national wealth and every citizen should resolve to do his bit to wipe out this menace to our happiness and prosperity.

Every citizen can be a soldier in this campaign by simply being careful with fire, by disciplining himself in his smoking habits, by seeing that every fire hazard in his home, store or factory is removed and by knowing what to do should a fire start.

Our soldiers, sailors and airmen are battling a grim enemy on far-away fronts. Let us battle that other enemy—the Fire Demon—on the "Home Front." We too can help to win the war by preventing fires. Every fire is small in its incipency but it might easily reach the proportions of a conflagration. Our duty is to see that a fire does not start.

This week, in the press, over the radio, in theatres and from the platform, John Q. Citizen will be exhorted to use every care with fire, not only during Fire Prevention Week but every week in the year. It would be well for him to take this advice to heart and to make Canada a fire-safe country in which to live.

We need only to call to mind two holocausts which have occurred during the past year in order to show the tragedy which can follow in the wake of fire. These are the Coconut Grove Night Club fire in Boston in which 491 people lost their lives, and the Knights of Columbus Hostel fire in St. John's, Newfoundland, in which 99 lives were snuffed out. WE CAN'T BE TOO CAREFUL WITH FIRE.

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MOUNT ALBERT Chinese Auction Aids W.I. War Work Fund

Thanksgiving services will be held on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Ferguson of Zephyr will be the guest speaker at the United church. Rev. W. H. Burgess will preach anniversary services at Sandford.

Keith Stokes of the R.C.A.F., London, was home on leave for the weekend.

Guy Williamson, Monteith, was home for a few days furlough this week.

Mrs. Esther Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Byers of Orillia were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Longhurst.

The Women's Institute had a successful euchre and dance on Friday evening.

Mrs. Bruce Rolling was the winner of the ladies prize and Geo. Calver carried off the honors for the men. A Chinese auction of a cake, two pies and a chicken helped swell the funds. The net proceeds were around \$63 and will be used for war work.

If anyone has not a ditty bag to fill they can still get one.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz, Gail and Tommy, spent the weekend with relatives at Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wrightman, Catherine and Marilyn, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

The W. A. of the United church will hold a supper on Oct. 13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnot Harrison.

Sunday-school at the United church will still be held at 10 o'clock in the morning throughout October.

The Women's Institute will hold their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph Cupples on Oct. 14. The hostesses will be Mrs. W. MacFarland and Mrs. A. Hopkins. Gifts for the boys' overseas boxes are asked for. Roll-call will be answered with "Something to be thankful for."

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ROCHE'S POINT NORTH GWILLIMBURY SCHOOLS LOSE PUPILS

As a result of the war the Roche's Point school now has 23 pupils in one classroom, compared with 90 pupils in two classrooms only four years ago. The reduced school population is a result of some breadwinners having enlisted and their families having moved elsewhere and of some breadwinners having gone into war industry and taken their families with them to industrial centres.

It is understood that Keswick school, which is about three miles from the Roche's Point school, has also experienced a drop in school population, although not so drastic as that at Roche's. There are said to be only about 50 pupils enrolled this year at Keswick's two-room school.

The baseline school, North Gwillimbury, is said to be in the low twenties, and Belhaven, which had as many as 54 pupils six years ago, has less than 40 this year. These two schools are among several in which married women are teaching as their contribution to the war effort.

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POLICE COURT THREE ARE PENALIZED FOR CARELESS DRIVING

In Newmarket police court on Tuesday Magistrate W. N. Robinson imposed a penalty of \$25 and costs of \$11 or 30 days in jail upon Joseph VanWard, Wellesley Place, Toronto, whom he found guilty in police court last week of dangerous driving and remanded for one week in jail for sentence.

The defendant admitted being the driver of a car which was involved in an accident, on the fourth concession of East Gwillimbury on Sept. 18, in which two children were seriously injured. Besides the penalty his worship ordered that the defendant's license to drive be suspended.

Three cases of careless driving were heard by his worship. Each offence took place on Yonge St. and Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson laid the charge.

The officer stated that the car of Harold McPherson, Kennedy St., Aurora, had been involved in a collision with another car and had been badly damaged on the left side. Upon examining marks on the road, he said, he found that the defendant's car was on the wrong side of the road. He added that the other car had been badly damaged also.

His worship imposed a fine of \$15 and costs on Mr. McPherson.

Testifying in a charge of careless driving against John C. Quigley, Logan Ave., Toronto, Reuben Morning, Holland Landing, told his worship that he had been a passenger in his son's car on Sept. 14 when his son was driving north on Yonge St. in the vicinity of Holland Landing. He stated that upon nearing Brillinger's service station, the defendant's southbound car came "straight at" their car, forcing his son to turn on to the shoulder of the road to avoid a collision. He looked out the rear window of the car and saw the defendant's car strike a truck which was going north behind them. Asked by Constable Ferguson if the defendant was on his own side of the road, Mr. Morning stated that Mr. Quigley's car was on the wrong side of the road and that the driver of the truck had swerved to try to avoid the collision.

According to Andrew Wilson, Hamilton, driver of the truck, the oncoming car which was driven by the defendant had but one headlight. He said that he had to turn sharply on to the shoulder to avoid a head-on collision. He estimated damage to his truck at \$350.

"What was the condition of the defendant?" asked Constable Ferguson. "He had a drink, I could get the odor of liquor on his breath," stated the witness. "But I couldn't say that he was under the influence."

Constable Ferguson said that the accident had taken place at 9:15 p.m. on Sept. 14 and that when he arrived at the scene about half an hour later, he found the rear part of Mr. Quigley's car definitely on the east side of the road. Mr. Quigley stated in defence that he had had a pint bottle of beer in his car earlier in the evening. He denied forcing any cars off the road or being on the wrong side of the road and stated that he thought that the driver of the truck was intending to make a turn into the service station at the time of the accident.

"It appeared to me in the back seat of Mr. Quigley's car that the truck came on our side of the road," testified a Mr. Delvin, when called to testify in behalf of the defence.

"In this case I must accept the evidence of the witnesses for the prosecution," stated Magistrate Robinson. "The first witness, who was an independent witness, said that his car was forced right off the road. He expected an accident to occur and looked out the rear window of his car. I was particularly impressed with the driver of the truck. Even under cross-examination by Mr. Evans, whom I consider a very good cross-examiner, his evidence stood up."

"He said that he smelled liquor but could not say that the accused was under the influence. I found him very fair. I must accept his story as the best evidence. He stated that the accused had one light on his car. The accused doesn't know for sure. He thought that he had two lights. Maybe he didn't know where he was on the road because of the one light. I must make a conviction but I'll make the penalty very low. It will be \$10 and costs."

Harold G. McKay, Toronto, was also fined \$10 and costs for careless driving.

According to Constable Ferguson, on Aug. 9 at 5:20 p.m., he stopped the car driven by the defendant near Bradford, after observing it fail to turn out upon meeting two other cars. He said that the defendant had been straddling the white line.

"I stopped the car and observed that Mr. McKay had been drinking," stated the officer. "I parked the car at a service station and informed the operator of the station to hold the keys of the car for an hour before letting the accused drive on. I asked the accused about drinking and he said that he had some drinks in Toronto. The two passengers in his car had been drinking also."

In his defence Mr. McKay said that he had had but two or three drinks before leaving Toronto and that he would not have been driving if he had thought he had been intoxicated. He agreed with the officer that his car was over the white line on the road now and

then but denied that it had interfered with other cars.

"I'm inclined to think that the officer was very lenient with this man," commented Magistrate Robinson. "I am impressed with the accused in that he thanked the officer and didn't raise any objections when he was told to stay for an hour. I think that he was truthful. I'm going to make a conviction of careless driving. I am imposing a fine of \$10 and costs. I usually impose a heavier penalty where there is liquor involved."

His worship fined four motorists \$15 and costs for exceeding the speed limit: Alice B. R. Gooch, Burlington, who was timed by County Constable Ronald Watt in East Gwillimbury, and Robert Wm. Haggas, Hamilton, Elizabeth Gallagher, Toronto, and Nellie Nelson, Toronto, who were timed by County Constable William Hill of North Gwillimbury township.

A fine of \$6 and costs was imposed on William E. Gordon, Toronto, who was timed in Newmarket by Constable Kenneth Mount.

Fines of \$1 and costs were imposed on Arthur Lloyd, Aurora, Willard D. Grose, Sharon, and Malcolm Sedore, Island Grove, who were found guilty of illegal

parking of their cars on Newmarket streets. The charges in each case were laid by Constable Mount.

SCOUTS MEET FRIDAY

All boys over 11½ years of age interested in joining the Boy Scouts are asked to be present at the Scout hall at 7 p.m. on Friday. Boys from 8 to 11½ years of age will be accepted in the Wolf Cubs.

All Scouts and Cubs are asked to be present this Friday evening to make ready for "Opening Night."

HONOR AIRWOMAN

About 20 young people of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davidson in honor of their daughter, LAW Pearl Davidson, Mont Joli, P.Q., who is home on leave, on Wednesday evening.

Neil Faris, president of the society, presented LAW Davidson with an air force writing kit on behalf of the group. LAW Davidson told the young people of her work as a clerk and of her basic training at Rockcliffe.

The evening was spent playing games. A sing-song was held and a lovely lunch was served.

C.G.I.T. ELECTS OFFICERS

The election of officers for the C.G.I.T. of Trinity United church was held on Monday, Sept. 5.

The result was as follows: president, Dorothy Lee; vice-president, Doreen Smith; secretary, Audrey Buryling; treasurer, Lois Blight; press representative, Doreen George; pianists, Marion Rose and Elaine Robinson.

A successful weiner roast was enjoyed by quite a good gathering of the C.G.I.T. group at the United church on Sept. 19.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF WILMOT B. FAIRBARN, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF SHARON, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, POSTAL EMPLOYEE, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased who died at the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, on or about the Twenty-third day of March, 1943, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act, to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the Tenth day of November, 1943, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

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CHILDREN COLLECT FAT

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Anyone having fat for salvage may give it to any school child to be taken to the schools, where the teacher will take charge of it. The co-operation of every citizen is requested.

MRS. SIMPSON WILL SPEAK

There will be a joint meeting of the afternoon and evening auxiliaries of the W.M.S., together with the Mission Circle of Trinity United church, for the annual autumn thank-offering meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 12, at Trinity United church. Mrs. R. I. D. Simpson, Toronto, will be the guest speaker.

NEWMARKET BOWLERS WIN AT BEETON GREENS

Seven double entries went to Beeton yesterday. T. F. Doyle and Al White won second with three wins, 54 plus 13.

Doug. Brown and Andrew Murdison were high for two wins, 55 plus 2.

Bob Large and Jim Law had a score of 51 for two wins.

The ladies served a fine chicken dinner.

GRANDDAUGHTER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hopkinson, Gorham St., were called to Kitchener on Monday owing to the sudden death